

BRITISH SHIP APPAM NOT LOST BUT CAPTURED BY GERMANS

Liner Is Brought Into Hampton Roads in Charge of Prize Crew—Moewe, Teutonic Commerce Raider, Is Having Great Success in Taking Enemy Vessels, According to Lieut. Berge.

AMERICAN OFFICIALS PUZZLED OVER MATTER

Whether Appam Is to Be Treated as Prize of War or Cruiser Is Question That Must Be Solved—Exploits of Moewe Rank With Those of Karlsruhe and Prinz Eitel Frederick According to Story.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 1.—Given up for lost days ago, the British passenger liner Appam, plying in the West African trade, appeared here an apparition in Hampton Roads today flying the German naval ensign and with her ship's company under guard of a German prize crew. She brought word of a mysterious German commerce raider, the Moewe, which now roams the seas, and had on board the crews of seven British merchantmen and admiralty transports captured by the Moewe before she seized the Appam and started her across the Atlantic for an American port with Lieut. Hans Berg of the German naval reserve and 22 men in charge.

The Appam now lies off Old Point Comfort under the guns of Fortress Monroe waiting for the state department at Washington to determine her status—whether she is a man-of-war, subject to internment, or a German prize. By tomorrow the customs authorities here hope to have orders to send the ship either to Norfolk or Newport News, where the anxiously waiting British civilians will be put ashore.

According to the story told with great reserve by Lieutenant Berg to Collector Hamilton when he formally reported his presence in American waters late today, the Moewe captured the Appam, bound from Dakar, French West Africa, for Liverpool, after a brief show of resistance, on January 16, sixty miles north of the Madeira Islands. On board the Moewe, then, were the crews of five vessels previously captured, all of whom were transferred to the Appam.

Sinks Clan MacTavish. From all reports the Appam is a converted German merchantman with a false canvas foremast concealing a battery of guns of fairly large caliber. On January 17 she engaged in battle an armed Australian trader, the Clan MacTavish, which she sank after an exciting combat with a loss of fifteen men killed on the Clan MacTavish.

The Appam, which was ten miles away at the time in charge of the prize crew, steamed hurriedly back to the scene and rescued four members of the crew of the sinking Clan MacTavish who were struggling in the water.

Later under orders from the commander of the raider Lieutenant Berg headed his prize for an American port and parted company with the Moewe. Nothing has been seen or heard of the raider since and the Appam steamed across the ocean on an uneventful voyage, reaching the Virginia capes at 4:25 this morning.

On board the Appam, all told, are 652 persons—the prize crew of 23, 20 German civilians who were on their way to England for internment, 138 seamen captured with the British ships,

116 passengers on the Appam and the Appam's crew of 155.

Claim Prize of War. Lieutenant Berg claims the Appam is a prize of war, but government officials have not yet accepted this view. She had one mounted rifle aboard when captured, but this was removed by the Moewe and there were no guns aboard when she reached port except small arms carried by the prize crew.

On January 16 the Moewe carried and sank the British steamer Farrington, carrying 500 tons of copper ore. Later, on the same day, she captured the British steamer Corbridge, with a cargo of 4,900 tons of coal.

The Moewe did not sink the vessel, but sent a crew aboard and held her as a collier.

For three days the Moewe was inactive, and then the British admiralty transport Dromedary hove into sight on January 13. She offered no resistance and was captured and sunk. Before that day was over the raider had met and destroyed the British steamer Anchor, carrying 3,000 tons of general cargo, and the admiralty transport Trader with 6,000 tons of sugar.

No ship of the enemy was sighted on the 14th, but on the 15th the British ship Ariadne crossed the raider's path and was sent to the bottom with her cargo of 5,000 tons of wheat.

Appam Biggest Prize. Next day, January 16, there appeared the biggest prize of all, the liner Appam, carrying 8,000 tons of general merchandise, including a large quantity of cocoa. Whether the Appam offered any resistance has not been definitely established. It is said that one or two shots were fired, but there was no real fight.

The Moewe approached the liner flying the British ensign and exchanged salutes with her. When she was close enough to cross the Appam's bow she ran up the German flag and lowered the false foremast, disclosing her armament. The detailed story of the capture is still untold, as no one has come ashore except Lieutenant Berg, who has been permitted to go aboard except those officials whose duties required them to do so.

No one knows where the Moewe came from except the prize crew aboard the Appam, nor where she went after the battle with the Clan MacTavish. Apparently all of the operations revealed by the arrival of the Appam took place in the vicinity of the Canary Islands.

Sighted No Men of War. The Appam arrived off the Virginia coast some time Sunday but did not venture in until darkness fell, and it was near daylight today when she appeared between the capes. She did

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VILLA LEADER OF BAND THAT TOOK ORNELAS FROM TRAIN

By the Associated Press.
El Paso, Texas, Feb. 1.—Francisco Villa, with less than 100 followers, held up a southbound Mexican Central passenger train a few miles north of Chihuahua City yesterday and ordered the killing of Gen. Tomas Ornelas, according to advices from Chihuahua City, received today by General Gavira, Mexican commander at Juarez. General Gavira was also advised that Villa personally directed the looting of the train and robbery of passengers. Late advices said there were no Americans aboard. One report was to the effect that Villa and his band afterward left for the hills of western Chihuahua while another said he departed in the direction of Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Texas.

General Las Herrera reported to the Mexican consulate here that a detachment of Mexican troops had taken up the trail of Villa where the hold-up and the killing of Ornelas took place. The report added that Villa and his band, mounted on good horses stolen from the Hearst ranch at Babicora, had a good start on their pursuers.

PROGRESSIVE PARTY OF LOUISIANA PUTS TICKET IN THE FIELD

By the Associated Press.
New Orleans, Feb. 1.—Delegates to the state convention of the progressive party in session here, late today nominated candidates for three state offices, including John M. Parker of this city for governor, adopted a platform and outlined a plan of campaign for the election to be held April 18. There were several hundred delegates comprising progressive and independent democrats representing almost all the Louisiana parishes. In addition to Mr. Parker, the candidates selected were Edwin S. Irouessard, progressive for lieutenant governor, and E. B. Duboussion, independent democrat, for attorney general. The convention decided to put in the field candidates for every state office, except lieutenant governor, the democratic ticket nominated at the primaries last week and headed by R. G. Pleasant for governor.

The platform includes condemnation of the "control of state politics and administration of public affairs by bosses," favored submitting a woman suffrage amendment to the state constitution, declared for local option of the liquor question and urged the calling of a constitutional convention to draft a new constitution for the state.

Former Waco Man Killed in Galveston to Be Buried Here

George A. McLarty, secretary of the maritime committee of the Galveston cotton exchange and board of trade, who was shot to death in his office yesterday afternoon, will be buried in Waco, his former home, according to information given last night by M. H. Lane, whose wife is an aunt of the dead man. The body will be brought to Waco tomorrow and the funeral will take place at the Lane home. Mrs. Lane, with Shapley Ross, an uncle of the dead man, left last night for Galveston.

Mr. McLarty was born and reared in Waco. At one time he was in the printing business near Seventh and Austin streets, in partnership with T. D. Sedberry, now pressman for the Morning News. He moved to Galveston in 1908, and had since been a frequent visitor here. He was in Waco less than a month ago. Other relatives in Waco are George Barnard, George Gurley and R. S. Ross.

Navy Recruiting Officers Praise Waco Station

Lieutenant J. C. Cunningham and Dr. J. B. Bostwick of the Dallas headquarters of the southwestern division naval station, were in the city yesterday in the interest of the naval reserve corps. They report an added interest in this phase of national work and enlistments are coming in freely from the old members of the navy. With the added inducements to be made by congress for members in the naval reserve the officers expect to see quite a number of Waco ex-navy men become enlisted in the reserve. While here they also passed on a number of applications for enlistment in the regular navy.

Lieutenant Cunningham is in charge of the southwestern division and reports that Waco has been doing well in sending well former energetic young men. Dr. Bostwick is the physical inspector of the applicants.

End of Mohr Trial Seems in Sight

By the Associated Press.
Providence, R. I., Feb. 1.—The end of the trial of Mrs. Elizabeth F. Mohr and two negroes, Cecil Brown and Henry Spellman, charged with the murder of the woman's husband, Dr. C. Franklin Mohr, seemed to be in sight, when the court took an early adjournment today. Both sides expressed the belief that the case would be ready to be given to the jury by Saturday.

Dillon to Box Moran. Chicago, Feb. 1.—Jack Dillon of Indianapolis today accepted an offer to box Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight, ten rounds in Milwaukee next month.

FLOOD SITUATION IN ARKANSAS MOST SERIOUS KNOWN

SEVERAL HUNDRED NEGRO CONVICTS MAROONED ON LEVEE. STEAMER ON WAY TO ATTEMPT TO RESCUE THEM AND BRING THEM TO PENITENTIARY.

WHITE RIVER FLOODS NEWPORT

Cold Weather Lessens Danger in Upper Mississippi Valley—Train Service Is Badly Crippled—Wabash Threatening Heavy Destruction Many Families Being Driven From Their Homes.

By the Associated Press.
Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 1.—The most serious situation in the most widespread flood Arkansas has ever known today appears to be at the state farm at Cummins in Lincoln county. There, between 300 and 400 negro convicts are huddled on what remains of the Arkansas river levee that broke last night. Their position is perilous. The steamer Day Queen, carrying John T. Burkett, member of the state penitentiary commission, steamed out of Pine Bluff this afternoon in an effort to rescue them. If the expedition is a success, the convicts will be taken to Swan Lake, fifteen miles up the river from the state farm, where they will be placed on a train and brought to the penitentiary at Little Rock. The swift current and the swollen condition of the river makes the trip hazardous.

Commissioner Burkett said that if the convicts are rescued he will send the steamer back down the river to rescue several hundred people who are marooned by flood waters near Douglas. Another levee has broken there. The Bay Queen carried provisions sufficient to last ten days. The white convicts were removed from the state farm last night. The steamer Lightwood is rescuing marooned families further down the river at Red Fork in the vicinity of Watson. It is reported that there are several breaks in the levees on the lower Arkansas between Cummins and Red Fork, one of them two miles wide. Through them flood waters are sweeping across the lowlands of Lincoln, Drew, Ashley, DeSha and Chicot counties of Arkansas and on down into Northern Louisiana.

While the White river flood is from two to fifteen feet deep in the business streets of Newport, the situation has no danger. The break in the levee there had been expected. Two-thirds of the inhabitants had left the city and those who remained had moved all their possessions to the upper stories of their homes. The crest of the Arkansas river flood had nearly reached Little Rock tonight while the crest of the White river flood is midway between Batesville and Newport. With clear, cold weather today the flood began subsiding rapidly in the upper reaches of both rivers.

Cold Weather Helps. St. Louis, Feb. 1.—The flood situation along the Mississippi valley from the mouth of the Illinois river to Cairo, gradually improved today as the river fell to its high mark of 31.5 feet. No rain was reported from eastern Missouri or southern Illinois tonight, and the levees are expected to hold since Sunday night. At that time the

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WEATHER

THESE DOIN'S OVER
AT THE Y. M. C. A. LOOK
GOOD TO ME. BELIEVE
I'LL GO ALONG AND
TAKE THE PUP.



VOLUNTARY FORECAST.

Optician and Meteorologist.
By Isidor Block, D. O. S., F. R. Met. S.
"Today, fair, moderating, warmer. The high pressure temperature being intercepted and with a tendency to move eastward, it will be warmer today or tonight."

Local Readings. Temperature, maximum 34 at 1 p. m.; minimum 23 at 8 a. m.; barometer 30.24; humidity 55; wind passage 321, fastest 20 miles an hour, 1 p. m.

Government Forecast. Washington, Feb. 1.—Government forecast for southwestern regions: East Texas—Wednesday fair, not so cold in northwest portion; Thursday fair, rising temperature.

West Texas—Wednesday and Thursday fair. Louisiana and Arkansas—Wednesday and Thursday fair, not so cold. Oklahoma—Wednesday and Thursday fair, rising temperatures.

CASH REGISTER CO. AGREES TO CHANGES GOVERNMENT ASKS

By the Associated Press.
Cincinnati, Feb. 1.—Practically every change asked for by the United States government in its action against the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio, under the civil section of the Sherman anti-trust law was agreed to by the defendants today when a consent agreement was filed by attorneys for the defendants and the government in the United States district court here today.

The government's litigation against John H. Patterson and the other twenty-six officials and former officials of the National Cash Register company under the criminal section of the Sherman law was dismissed by the court, the costs being assessed against the defendants.

The dismissal of the criminal case follows the reversal of the conviction of President Patterson and his associates by the United States circuit court of appeals and the refusal of the supreme court to review the case.

Patterson was sentenced to serve a year in prison and pay a fine of \$5000, while the twenty-six other defendants all received prison sentences or fines.

ZEPPELIN VICTIMS IN ENGLAND NOW NUMBER 223 KILLED

By the Associated Press.
Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., Feb. 1.—The German admiralty's reports on the Zeppelin raid of England says that incendiary bombs were dropped on and near Liverpool, Birmingham, Manchester, Nottingham, Sheffield and Great Yarmouth. Violent fires occurred. All the ships returned in safety.

The official British statement shows that the Zeppelins penetrated to the heart of industrial England. Last night's raid is the nineteenth reported officially from London. The first occurred on January 19 last year. The total of casualties reported previously was 178 killed and 465 wounded, which with the figures thus far received from last night's attack, in which fifty-four were killed and sixty-seven injured, brings up the number to 223 killed.

Leasing of Lands Given for Building Capitol in Suit

Award of \$1,788,559 Made to Executors of John V. Farwell's Estate.

By the Associated Press.
Chicago, Feb. 1.—An award of \$1,788,559 was made to the executors of the estate of the late John V. Farwell by a decree handed down today by Federal Judge Arthur L. Sanborn in a friendly suit of the Capitol Freedhold Land and Investment company against the executors. The decree ended litigation instituted in 1919 for the purpose of obtaining an accounting and the court ordered the company to pay the amount forthwith to John V. Farwell Jr., Francis C. and Arthur L. Farwell, the executors. The suit grew out of the leasing of three million acres of land which the state of Texas gave to Mr. Farwell and others when they built the capitol. The executors claimed that the company had a syndicate and leased the land from the company. The lease expired in 1908 and as no accounting has been made for years, suit was started.

Mongolians Attack Great Wall of China

By the Associated Press.
London, Feb. 1, 3:35 p. m.—The Mongolian insurgents have crossed the great wall of China and an advance guard of 2000 is besieging the city of Datun, according to a dispatch from Mukden forwarded by Reuter's correspondent at Petrograd.

Dispatches from Mukden yesterday reported that the Mongolian insurgents had been heavily reinforced and were marching toward Peking. No mention was made of their having crossed the Mongolian border, which at its nearest point to Peking is approximately 200 miles from that city.

The city of Datun mentioned in today's dispatches may be Tatung Fu, a city in Shan Si province, which borders Mongolia.

Katy Files Answer in Foreclosure Suit

By the Associated Press.
St. Louis, Feb. 1.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad filed answer in the federal court here today to the suit of the Central Trust company of New York against the railroad, which asked the foreclosure of a mortgage secured by \$30,292,000 of consolidated two-year, five per cent bonds on the allegation that the railroad had defaulted on the interest of the bonds October 1, 1915. The railroad today denied having defaulted on the interest and asked the court to enjoin the holders of the bonds from disposing of them until the case has been passed upon by the courts.

The answer points out that the bonds would be purchased by persons who would demand their face value, whereas the original amount of the loan was only \$21,533,250. The railroad asks that the court allow to the plaintiff only the actual amount of the loan.

AUDIENCE AT DES MOINES IS RESPONSIVE TO PRESIDENT

Neither Those Who Preach War Nor Those for Peace at Any Price Represent Nation, Declares Wilson Amidst Thunderous Applause. "America Cannot Be Ostrich."

CLOSES SPEECH WITH TRIBUTE TO FLAG

Declaration That People of Middle West Are for Preparedness Greeted With Cheers—Hope Expressed That War Would Result in Creation of International Tribunal to Settle Troublesome Questions.

By the Associated Press.
Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 1.—President Wilson arrived in Des Moines at 6:50 p. m.

The president and Mrs. Wilson were met at the station by a crowd which packed the sidewalk all the way to the hotel. The progress of the president was marked by cheers. A closed automobile was used by the president for the temperature was near zero. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were wrapped in furs.

At the hotel the president and Mrs. Wilson shook hands with members of the reception committee and then dined privately in their suite before leaving for the coliseum where the president spoke.

Shortly before reaching Des Moines the president spoke briefly at Newton, Iowa, urging the people to support his preparedness program and telling them the difficulty of keeping the United States out of the European war.

Eight thousand persons waving American flags greeted the president at the Coliseum. Ten thousand others were turned away for want of room. The audience rose and cheered wildly as the president came into view.

Always Call on America. "Whenever international law is violated by man or the other helter-skelter," the president said in beginning his speech, "America is called upon to register a 'voice of protest of insistence.'"

"Do you want the situation to be such that all the president can do is to write messages?" he asked. "If these breaches of international law which are in danger of occurring daily should touch the very honor of the United States, do you wish to do nothing about it? Do you wish to have all the world say the flag of the United States can be stained with impunity?"

"Why, to ask the question is to answer it. I know there is not a man or woman within the hearing of my voice who would wish peace at the expense of the honor of the country."

Thunderous Applause.

The president's address was punctuated by thunderous applause. He spoke slowly and gravely with emphatic gestures. A declaration that the United States wanted peace drew a quick response and his assertion that the self respect of the nation must be preserved, elicited another great demonstration.

The president said he was trying to weigh carefully every word he said. He reiterated that he had been charged daily to keep the country out of war and also to uphold its honor.

"And you know full well, who it has seemed impossible for me to sleep," he said, "because of the apparently inextricable difficulties into which our international relations were drifting, I have said to myself:

"I wonder if the people of the United States know what that mandate means to me?" and then sleep has come, because I knew there was not a community in America that would not stand behind me in maintaining the honor of the United States."

Hard to Keep Peace.

"The difficulty of keeping America at peace during this titanic struggle across the world cannot be disclosed, perhaps it can never be disclosed. How anxious and how difficult this task has been!"

"But my heart has been in it. I have not grudgingly a single burden that has been placed upon me with that end in view for I know that only my own heart but the heart of all America was in the cause of peace."

"There are men in America who actually are preaching war, the president asserted, men who want the United States to have a standing army abroad. He said he did not think theirs was the voice of America, which he declared to be for peace. He added that others go further than he in advocating peace.

"They preach the doctrine of peace at any price," he added. "Many in the audience shout 'never!' never!" He said these men did not know the circumstances of the world.

"America cannot be an ostrich with its head in the sand," he said. **Hopes for International Tribunal.** The president asserted that he hoped if this war had no other result it would create an international tribunal to settle questions which cause war. His declaration that he had found the people of the middle west for preparedness drew long applause.

"Some one who does not know our fellow citizens as well as he ought to know, has said that there was a certain degree of indifference and lethargy in the middle west with regard to the defense of the nation," he declared. "I said I did not believe it but was going out to see. I have seen what I expected to see. Great bodies of serious men and women coming together to show their interest in the subject of my vessel."

The president closed with a tribute to the American flag.

"As I look at that flag," he said, "I seem to see many characters upon it which are not visible to the physical eye. There seems to move, ghostly visions of devoted men who looking to

that flag thought only of liberty, of the rights of mankind, of the mission of America to show the way to the world for the realization of those rights. And every grave of every brave man in the country would seem to have upon it the colors of the flag if he were a true American—would seem to have upon it that stain of red which means the true pulse of blood; that patch of pure white which means the peace of the soul.

"And there seems to rise over the graves of those men and to hallow their memory that big space of the sky in which swim those stars which exemplify for us the glorious galaxy of the states of the union which stand together to vindicate the rights of mankind."

Cheered by Audience.

President Wilson said, in part:

"I am greatly cheered as well as greatly honored by the sight of this great audience. I have been very much impressed by being told that you have been waiting here patiently for more than two hours for the exercises of the evening and I think I know—I hope I know—that you are not only that in your gracious courtesy you have waited to greet the president of the United States, but that, knowing the errand upon which he has come, you are profoundly interested, as he is, in the candid discussion of some of the chief things which concern the welfare and the safety of the nation."

"Some one who does not know our fellow citizens quite as well as he ought to know them told me there was a certain degree of indifference and lethargy in the middle west with regard to the defense of the nation. I said, 'I do not believe it, but I am going out to see,' and I have seen what I expected to see—great bodies of serious men and great bodies of earnest women coming together to show their profound interest in the subject of this evening's exercise."

"And I know therefore that it is my privilege to address those who will realize the spirit of responsibility in which I spoke to them."

Could Stir Feelings.

"My fellow citizens, it would be easy if I permitted myself to do so, to draw a picture of the present situation of the world which would stir your apprehensions, but you would not think it was right for your chief magistrate to speak any word of excitement whatsoever."

"I want you to believe that in what I say to you I am endeavoring, as far as extemporaneous speech will permit, to weigh every word I say."

"I said a moment ago that you know the errand upon which I have come to you, but do you know the reasons why I have undertaken that errand? There are some very conclusive and imperative reasons. Some of our fellow citizens are seeking to stir up discord upon this great matter, not, I hope, and believe, out of mistaken motives, but certainly I believe out of mistaken conceptions of the duty and interest of America."

"On the other hand, there is a considerable body of men who are trying to stir the very sort of excitement in this country upon which every true, well balanced American ought to frown. There are actually men in America who are preaching war; men who are preaching the duty of the United States to do what it never would before—seek entanglements in the controversies which have arisen on the other side of the water—change its habitual and traditional policy and deliberately engage in the conflict which is now engulfing the rest of the world."

American Spirit of Peace.

"I do not know what the standards of citizenship of these gentlemen may be. I only know that for one cannot subscribe to those standards. 'I believe that I more truly speak the spirit of the Americans when I say that spirit is a spirit of peace. Why no voice has ever come to any public man more audibly, more unmistakably than the voice of this great people has come to me, bearing this impressive message: 'We are counting upon you to keep this country out of war.'"

"And I call you to witness that I have spent every thought and energy that has been vouchsafed me in order to keep this country out of war. It cannot be disclosed now—perhaps it never can be disclosed—how difficult that task has been, but my heart has been in it. I have not grudgingly a single burden that has been thrown upon me with that end in view for I know that not only my own heart but the heart of all America was in the cause of peace."

"And yet there are some men amongst us preaching peace who go much further than I can go. Not further than I can go in the sentiments of peace; not further than truth warrants them in going interpreting the desires and sentiment of America; but further than I can follow them; further, I believe, than you can follow them in preaching the doctrine of peace at any price and in any circumstances. "There is a price which is too great to pay for peace, and that price can be put in one word. One cannot pay the price of self-respect. One cannot pay the price of duties abdicated, of glorious opportunities neglected, of characters lost."

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Masked Hold-up Forces Cashier Downtown Cafe to Open Cash Register

John Panopoulos, cashier at the Manhattan Cafe, No. 2, 115 South Sixth street, was forced to surrender thirty-one dollars in cash at the point of a revolver last night, when a masked man entered the cafe at 10:15 o'clock. At the time of the robbery there were four people in the cafe, three at the counter and one at the tables, and the three waiters and the kitchen employees. The hold-up was executed in a few seconds. Those in the restaurant hardly knew what was going on until the masked man dashed out the door, running south on Sixth street.

According to Panopoulos, the man was of medium height and wore a gray felt hat and rain coat. He wore a handkerchief over his face for a mask. As soon as he entered the

door he drew a gun and demanded that Panopoulos hand over the money, saying he didn't want to have to shoot. Panopoulos answered the request, opening the cash drawer and giving him the currency. With the currency went a check for \$5.75. The check was drawn on the Morning News employees' Saving and Loan fund.

Claude Caldwell, special officer at the Light and Power company, was the first to arrive. He with Panopoulos and two officers went to both depots and went through the outgoing trains at a late hour last night in an effort to identify the man. Although he wore a mask, Panopoulos believes he would know him if he saw him again.

More than twenty dollars in silver was left in the cash drawer.

Increase in Linters Will Be Investigated by State

Special to the Morning News.
Austin, Feb. 1.—The state warehouse department has asked for an investigation by the cause of the large increase in the production of linters in Texas in 1915, when there has been an extraordinary decrease in the amount of cotton seed crushed during that year.

The United States bureau of census reports cotton seed crushed in Texas in 1915 at 776,248 tons, compared with 921,978 tons in 1914, a decrease of 145,730 tons.

The production of linters in Texas for 1915 was 157,142 bales, compared with 141,970 bales in 1914, an increase of 15,172 bales.

In calling the attention of State Warehouse Managers F. C. Delner and Peter Radford to this matter, Pat Daniel, bulletin clerk of the warehouse department, addressed a communication to the managers in which he stated: "Ordinarily, as you know,

linters go into consumption as fillers through cotton mills or wadding for mattresses, or in shoddy or felt works, but when we know that linters are bringing seven and one-half cents to-day against three-fourths of a cent a pound at this time last year, the conviction is strong that they are being used for some other purpose, and that purpose is not far to seek, viz, explosives. A rise from three-fourths of a cent a pound to seven and one-half cents for linters is phenomenal, and the price is responsible beyond any question of doubt for the increase of \$2,971 bales in the United States for 1915. As to how such an increase could occur when the seed area is short 709,566 tons is a problem for your experienced judgment. The figures prove conclusively that the manipulators of this gigantic gain have derided the cotton producers of several million pounds of lint cotton that should have brought them twelve cents a pound."

Closed Their Doors

The Big Department Store of Crawford & McGhee of Temple, Texas, taken over by the

U. S. Bankrupt Sale Co.

OF WACO.

The greater part of the above mentioned stock has been shipped to Waco and is NOW ON SALE, Corner Fourth and Austin Streets, Waco.

The stock consists of brand new seasonable merchandise and will be sold for wholesale cost and less.

We have agreed to pay the creditors in thirty days, and we are not going to dig down in our pockets for a single dollar, but we are going to sell the merchandise to the good people of Waco, at a price that will raise the money.

THE CREDITORS MUST BE PAID

Read prices below, grab your hat and pocketbook and come. Men's Winter Suits, values \$12.50 to \$20.00.....\$6.98
Men's Overcoats, values \$10.00 to \$15.00.....\$5.98
Men's Fine Raincoats, values \$4.00 to \$6.00.....\$1.89
Ladies' Fine Poplin Raincoats, values up to \$10.00.....\$2.98
Men's Fine Dress Pants, values up to \$3.00.....\$1.48
Men's Work Pants, values up to \$2.00.....\$.98
Boys' Fine Dress Overcoats, values to \$8.00.....\$1.98
Stetson Hats, values up to \$5.00.....\$2.98
Edwin Clapp Shoes, values up to \$7.50.....\$3.98
Boys' Jersey Sweaters, values up to 75c.....\$.23

World's of Valuable Merchandise Not Mentioned Here, ALMOST GIVEN AWAY. Shoes for the whole family at any old price.

U. S. Bankrupt Sale Co.

The Company That Retail for Wholesale Cost and Less. Corner Fourth and Austin Sts. Waco, Texas.

GUARDSMEN OPPOSE TAKE MAGNESIA AFTER MEANS TO STOP INDIGESTION

SENATE REJECTS PROPOSAL TO ELIMINATE NAVAL BASE IN PHILIPPINES.

REPEAL EMERGENCY REVENUE

Tariff Commission Bill Introduced in House—Navy Needs Sodium Nitrate.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.
Resumed debate on Philippine bill.
Naval committee deferred action on government armor plate plant bill.
Military committee heard Senator Cummins on his bill to re-organize national guard.
By vote of forty-eight to fourteen refused to eliminate from Philippine bill provision under which naval base would be retained in islands.
Recessed at 4:55 p. m. to Wednesday.

House.
Military and naval committee continued hearings on preparedness program.
Indian appropriation bill discussion continued.
Judiciary committee heard men representatives of women suffrage organizations in opposition to woman suffrage constitutional amendment.
Surgeon General Blue urged federal aid for indigent tuberculosis patients.
Hearings on proposed mixed flour legislation continued before ways and means committee.

Investigation of possible violations of anti-trust laws by packing companies asked in resolution by Representative Borland of Missouri.
Administration tariff commission bill introduced by Representative Rainey of Illinois.
Appropriation of \$500,000 and use of army tents and equipment for relief of flood sufferers in Mississippi valley proposed in resolution by Representative Russell of Missouri.

Investigation of the advisability of establishing a new navy yard on the California coast proposed in bill by Representative Stephens of California.
Adjourned at 5 p. m. to noon Wednesday.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Secretary Garrison and the executive committee of the National Guard association came to a breach today over the administration's plan for a continental army instead of organized militia as the main reliance in war time.
Before the senate and house military committees, members of the guardsmen's committee, headed by Adjutant General Foster of Florida, declared the continental army scheme "impractical" and contended for federalization of the national guard by congressional action. Compensation of the guardsmen by the federal government for actual services rendered was urged, although General Foster objected to designating this as a "military pay" proposal.

A letter from Secretary Garrison to Chairman Chamberlain of the senate committee was made public at the hearing. It contained a statement of the guardsmen's committee. After asserting that the guardsmen always have stood in the way of the organization of a purely federal volunteer force on sound lines, Mr. Garrison wrote:
"Having arrived at the consideration of a measure involving pay for the national guard, we have come to the final parting of the ways. The passage of such a measure would fully and irreversibly commit us to a system that has utterly failed in the past, which menaces our safety now, a system in which the people justly have no confidence."

"If we put the organized militia firmly in the saddle as is contemplated in this bill, the opportunity for adopting a sound military policy for the nation will have passed."

The guardsmen were invited by the senate committee to draft their own bill in the form of a bill, and several members of the house committee took occasion to congratulate General Foster and Major General John F. O'Ryan of the New York National guard, who spoke on the subject. They have made in behalf of the state troops, General Foster and O'Ryan and other national guard officers present were agreed there was no constitutional barrier to complete federal control of the national guard. Congress never had fully used its power in that direction, they maintained. Only the extra-territorial use of the state forces without their consent was denied the federal government by the constitution, General O'Ryan asserted, and in this virtually all countries were alike. The imperial army of Japan could not be sent abroad on any but a defensive movement except when the men volunteered, he said, and the same was true in the much discussed militia system of Switzerland and Australia.

Discussing the question of compensating the militia, General Foster said:
"The national guard does not ask a dollar from the public treasury for which it cannot give a full measure of service in return. In the first place, it should be considered that under any system of voluntary military service the government must pay for such service and that whether this cost takes the form of expenditures to train soldiers fit for active duty, or is paid in the form of pensions to compensate for casualties attributable to the incompetency of unpreparedness, is a matter of choice—but which all economic argument favors the first named."

General Foster said the war department had favored militia compensation legislation all along, although the present secretary had not specifically recommended passage of such acts.

Want Philippine Base.
By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 1.—A strong sentiment in favor of retaining a naval station and coaling base in the Philippines whatever disposition may be made of them was manifested in the senate today when it voted, 58 to 14, a proposal that Senator Norris to eliminate from the

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Philippine bill a provision for retention of a base in the islands.
Debate on Senator Simmons' amendment, which would grant independence only after a majority of the Philippines had voted in favor of separation from the United States, occupied most of the day, despite efforts of democratic leaders to hasten debate.
Senator Lodge attacked the proposal that the neutrality of the islands be guaranteed after independence, declaring that "no mistake is as great as a half way measure."

"I cannot say whether the Philippines are fit for self-government," he said, "but they certainly are unfit to have the power to involve us with other nations when we have not the power to control them and prevent it."

Navy in Good Shape.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 1.—A sufficient supply of ammunition is on hand, Rear Admiral Strauss, chief of ordnance of the navy, told the house naval committee today to equip all ships already constructed. The supply for ships under construction or authorized, however, is not adequate. For present ships Admiral Strauss said, an ample reserve supply also has been accumulated.

It developed that the navy department hopes to obtain appropriations under which it can store more than 30,000,000 tons of sodium nitrate or a two years' supply for the manufacture of gunpowder as a reserve against the possibility of a war, in which the United States would be cut off from Chile. Because of the lack of ocean carriers at present, the navy department is planning to bring some of the nitrate to this country in naval vessels.

Chairman Padgett read a letter from Admiral Fletcher asserting that the open-sea work of the fleet last year showed a 25 per cent improvement over the preceding year and was the best in the history of the service.

Tariff Commission Bill Introduced.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 1.—The administration's tariff commission bill was introduced in the house today by Representative Hiram Bingham of Connecticut, a committee member on the ways and means committee, who will have charge of the measure because of opposition to it by Majority leader Kitchin. The bill provides five commissioners at a salary of \$12,000 each.

Representative Rainey in a statement tonight said the powers given the commission would include authority to compel production of papers to show cost of production was the widest which possibly could be conferred without delegating legislative functions. The war, he said, had rendered valueless most of the tariff information compiled by congressional committees and a tariff commission was needed for one thing "in order to prepare ourselves for the approaching revision of the German tariff."

May Repeal Emergency Law.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 1.—Repeal of the emergency revenue law being seriously considered by administration leaders. For weeks the members of congressional committees having jurisdiction over the law have been urging its repeal. The bill provides for a five per cent increase of revenues to pay for preparedness and

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Washington, Feb. 1.—The senate naval committee failed to reach a vote today on Senator Tillman's bill for government armor plate plant. Mr. Tillman said the committee would vote next Tuesday and predicted the bill would be reported favorably. Rear Admiral Strauss, chief of ordnance of the navy, explained technical matters before the committee today. He favored the project to erect an electric power plant at Mussel Shoals, Tennessee river for the fixation of atmospheric nitrogen.

May Investigate Packers.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 1.—A resolution directing the federal trade commission to investigate and report to the house "the facts relating to any or all violations of the anti-trust laws by the Armour, Cudahy, Morris, Sulzberger and Swift, and other large packing companies," was introduced today by Representative Borah of Missouri.

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lands were driven from their homes today as the water crept gradually higher. At the same time the gauge at Arkansas City read 54.2 feet, Greenville, 48 feet; Vicksburg, 50.4 feet and Natchez 49.2 feet.

The river will continue to rise and a stage of 45 feet at Arkansas City by Saturday, Feb. 5. This will be 4 feet below the record stage of April 12, 1912, with a possibility of a slight further rise later.

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A cold wave which brought the temperature to within 12 degrees of zero, checked the waters in many sections of the state and brought sunshine after four days of continuing rain.

More Kisses for Mississippi.

By the Associated Press.
Washington, Feb. 1.—The area of high barometric pressure over Bermuda is being torn eastward by higher pressure in the interior districts of the United States and the weather has been colder throughout the eastern and southern states, except the South Atlantic coast. There have been general rains within the last twenty-four hours throughout the Atlantic and gulf states and snow and sleet were falling Tuesday night in eastern Tennessee, northern Alabama and Central Mississippi.

Colder weather prevails generally east of the Rocky Mountains except on the South Atlantic coast.
The Ohio river is rising at a moderate rate, but the quantity of water in sight is not thought to be sufficient to cause any considerable damage along the lower reaches of the river, although a slow rise will continue for some time.

The stage at Evansville Tuesday morning was 35.7 feet, a rise of two feet in twenty-four hours and at Cairo 5.1 feet, a rise of 7 feet in 24 hours.

The Mississippi was falling steadily above Cairo, where the stage was 31.2 feet and a continued slow fall is expected. The Mississippi river below Cairo continues to rise steadily and on Tuesday morning the flood stage of eighteen feet was reached at New Orleans for the first time during the present rise.

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AUDIENCE AT DES MOINES IS RESPONSIVE TO PRESIDENT

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ter-national character—vindicating and exemplified in action.

Train Backs Into Crowd at Grinnell.
By the Associated Press.
Grinnell, Iowa, Feb. 1.—President Wilson's special train backed into a crowd of 3,000 persons at the railway station today and knocked down half a dozen, several of whom fell under the train and between the rails. They were dragged out unhurt before the wheels reached them.

The president was on the back platform at the time, just about to shake the hands of a baby held up to him by

his mother. The smile on the president's face quickly gave way to a look of alarm. He straightened up and shouted, "Stop that train!"

National Guardsmen directly at his feet and facing the crowd and secret service men on the platform threw back the crowd which had swarmed over the tracks and surrounded the end of the car. Most of those directly in the pathway of the train were women and children. They were thrown quickly and unceremoniously back, but saved from injury. The sudden backward motion of the train was caused, it is said, by the engines backing to "take up the slack" to get a start.

President Wilson's scheduled five-minute talk was cut to 100 words by the incident.

Crowds Through Illinois.

By the Associated Press.
Davenport, Iowa, Feb. 1.—President Wilson's special train arrived here at 2:30 this afternoon and was welcomed by 15,000 persons. A battery of state troops fired a presidential salute. The president made no addresses at Illinois towns as previously planned, merely stopping long enough to greet those gathered at the station. He made his first rear platform talk here.

A great cheer went up as the president appeared on the platform. A call went up for Mrs. Wilson.

"She hasn't as much cheek as I have," said the president. "I want you to feel the seriousness of my mission," the president continued. "I want you not to believe that the defense minister is in the interest of munitions makers."

"I need not tell you I love peace profoundly and will do all I can to preserve it. But there may arise at any time a condition which will cause you to ask why I do not protect the honor of the United States. I must be ready to do that."

Crowds were on hand to greet the president at Joliet, Ottawa, Moline and Rock Island, Ill. The president shook hands with those persons within reach and waived his hat in response to cheers.

Plans at St. Louis.

By the Associated Press.
St. Louis, Feb. 1.—President Wilson will speak twice in St. Louis Thursday morning. It was announced today after receipt of a telegram from Secretary Tumulty. He will make a brief address at a breakfast by the Business Men's league. This breakfast will begin at 9 o'clock and the president is expected to speak just before he leaves the hotel for the coliseum, where he is to address a mass meeting at 10:30 o'clock.

The reception to the president in St. Louis will have a military aspect, the National Guard having provided for this.

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COUNTY MEDICS TO INVESTIGATE NEW INSURANCE

Definite action upon the proposed indorsement of the National Medical Service Insurance association, recently launched in this city, was postponed when the matter came up for consideration at the meeting of the McLennan County Medical Society last night, though a majority of those present were opposed to participation by the doctors in the plan. After considerable discussion the subject was referred to the committee on public health and legislation, consisting of Dr. K. H. Ayresworth, Dr. J. T. Harrington and Dr. H. M. Lanham, with instructions to bring in a report at an early date. It is likely that this report will be made at a called meeting of the society within the next week or ten days.

Objections urged against the plan were that it would work a great disadvantage to the doctors in that it would deprive them of their practice at regular rates among those who are able to pay for medical services, and would be unfair to the poor people among whom the doctors do a great deal of charity work at present by making them pay as much for medical services as the well-to-do.

Owing to the prolonged business session last night, the program on pneumonia was curtailed. Dr. Paul C. Murphy read a paper on "Etiology and Symptomatology of Pneumonia," which was followed by discussion and presentation of clinical cases. Other members programmed to discuss phases of pneumonia were Dr. G. B. Foscoe, Dr. Carl Lovelace and Dr. S. P. Rice of Marlin.

The committee on obtaining permanent downtown club rooms for the society was allowed more time, as was the committee investigating the advisability of publishing a bulletin as the organ of the society.

Dr. J. J. Anderson, interne at Providence sanitarium, was elected to membership in the club.

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"Clio, Ala.—I had been in good health until I was 15 years old," writes Mrs. A. L. Snell, of R. F. D. No. 1, this place, "but one day I was helping my father plant cotton in the field and was caught in the rain. At that time I got very ill. I suffered great agony in the lower abdomen, right side, and had dreadful sick headache, also pains in the back. I got dreadfully thin and simply gave entirely up. I had to be bed and was there, on my back, for two weeks.

"Dr. Cardui said I'd have to have an operation. I said I'd hear to that, so, as my mother had used Cardui with great benefit, she recommended that I take Cardui. I soon after I began taking it I saw an improvement, and was able to get up and be about my work.

"I was nearly entirely well...when one day...I scrubbed the whole house, washed clothes for 7 in the family, and got my feet wet. This caused another sick spell. So I turned again to my old friend, Dr. Cardui. After the use of less than a bottle again I was able to be up and about my work. I also flossed my teeth, got a good color, and I am now in good health. I highly recommend Cardui. It is the best tonic that I know of."

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NO TRACE FOUND OF MISS WINNIE SPRUCE AFTER WIDE SEARCH

All efforts to locate Miss Winnie Spruce, the 17-year-old sister of Mrs. George S. McGhee, 901 North Seventeenth street, who was last seen by relatives or friends about 9 o'clock Monday morning, proved fruitless up to an early hour this morning. T. H. Williams, division passenger agent of the Southern Traction company, stated that a girl answering the description of Miss Spruce purchased a ticket to Dallas some time Monday morning, but he could not identify a picture of her. Taking this clue, E. E. Ingram, county probation officer, went to Dallas yesterday, but up to a late hour last night his search had not brought any results.

Miss Spruce left home just before 9 o'clock for school. She rode on a Providence Heights street car with a school mate, Miss Louise Gold, who says that Miss Spruce told her she was going to make some purchases in town before going to school. No knowledge of the girl is available after this time.

Relatives of Miss Spruce can not throw any light on the subject, nor can her friends, with the exception that she had been worrying considerably of late over her examinations at the University of Texas, and her overwork was too much for her and resulted in a nervous breakdown.

When she left home she appeared to be in good spirits, but when she was found, she appeared downcast when she rode to town with her on the street car. A description of the girl follows: Blonde, wavy, slight, ring with the letter "C," slender, weight 115 pounds, light brown hair and blue-gray eyes. When she left home Miss Spruce was wearing a dark green coat suit, black turban, hat with gilt braids and with a brown raincoat over her coat suit. She had on bronze shoes, white socks, and a bracelet on her right wrist. She had a band on her upper teeth, as they were being fitted for dentures.

Miss Spruce's mother, Mrs. B. F. Spruce, a sister, Miss Emily Spruce, a teacher in the Sanger avenue school, and her brother, Clark Spruce, also reside with Mr. and Mrs. McGhee. Another brother, W. W. Spruce, who lives in Cleburne, is also in Dallas on business.

Police searched the city the entire day yesterday but were unable to find a single trace of Miss Spruce and were unable to find anyone who had seen her after 9 o'clock Monday morning.

BRITISH SHIP APPAM NOT LOST BUT CAPTURED BY GERMANS

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not sight a single British or French man of war from the time she parted company with the Moewe until she entered Hampton Roads. The entire voyage without incident, according to the German guard. She is said to have flown the British flag until she reached the three-mile limit. When the Appam dropped anchor in Hampton Roads she was boarded by the quarantine officer, Dr. H. W. McCaffery, and given a clean bill of health. Soon afterward Lieutenant Berg came ashore and called upon the German consul, Marshall von Shilling, and together they went to the office of Colonel Haynes, commandant of Fort Monroe, to pay an official call. The commander of the prize then reported by telephone the arrival of the vessel to Collector Hamilton of the Norfolk-Newport News district and later he came to Norfolk and made a statement of facts to Mr. Hamilton for the transmission to the government officials. Lieutenant Berg said the Appam arrived short of fuel and provisions and Mr. Hamilton gave permission to take on a quantity of stores tonight.

Among those aboard are fifteen women and a number of children. The exact number has not been determined. Sir Edward Merifether, governor of Sierra Leone, a British province in West Africa, and his wife are passengers. There are also several officers of the British army and navy. Others include Fred James, secretary-administrator of Nigeria, who is a relative of Lord Deedes.

Captured Shippers on Board. The masters of all the vessels captured are on the Appam except the captain of the Clan MacTavish, who with most of the members of his crew probably was taken aboard the Moewe. The captured skippers are H. G. Harrison of the Appam, Ralph T. Yeates of the Author, David Barton of the Corbridge, Robert Reid of the Aradine, John Brockett of the Dromedary, and John P. Jones of the Farringford.

Lieutenant Berg refused to give any information to any newspaper men and would permit none of them to come aboard while the status of the vessel still remained undetermined.

Question Puzzles Washington.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Until it is decided whether the German commander aboard the British steamer Appam brought the ship to an American port as a prize of war, or as a converted auxiliary cruiser of the German navy, there will be no determination of the American government's course respecting the ship.

When certain formalities have been completed with the ship's passengers, including several British colonial officials, will be released and their disposition passed on by immigration authorities. Any prisoners of war will be released, because international law permits no holding of war prisoners in a neutral country.

The United States then finally will have to deal with the German crew under Lieutenant Berg. If they are accounted in the naval service of Germany as were the crews of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and the Kronprinz Wilhelm, already interned at the Norfolk naval yard, they, too, will be interned unless their ship goes to sea to run the cordon of British cruisers outside.

As to the disposition of the Appam herself, if she is held to be an auxiliary cruiser, her commander will have the option of putting to sea after a certain time to make repairs and take provisions. If she is declared a prize the situation becomes more complex and in that event it is admitted that the United States will have to deal with probably the most novel question concerning its neutrality that has arisen during the war.

Referred to Neutrality Board. As one of the first steps the problem will be referred to the neutrality board, which is an unofficial body composed of James Brown Scott, former solicitor of the state department; Capt. Harry S. Knapp of the navy general board and Capt. J. H. Oliver, head of the naval intelligence office.

The board's findings, while merely advisory, have weight with the state department. It was pointed out at the state de-



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partment that there is much confusion in the treaties and provisions of international law on the subject of prizes, the right to convert captured vessels into auxiliary warships and the right of reclamation by the original owners of captured vessels. One theory larger by held is that title to the captured vessel does not pass until a prize court has acted. Another opinion strongly championed is that title passes immediately after the capture. It is made providing the senior officer of the captors duly commissions one of his own officers or crew as the commander of the captured ship. The latter view is commonly accepted by the American navy and probably would be followed by the state department, though Secretary Lansing said today he would have to take time to consider the important question involved before announcing a conclusion.

Assuming that the American naval view prevails, the initial character of the Appam after her capture as a prize would be established and would develop in the case, officials would see their way clear to her disposition under article 212 of The Hague convention concerning the rights and duties of neutral powers in naval war.

Prize Can Be Brought In.

This article permits prizes to be brought into a neutral port on account of unseaworthiness, stress of weather or want of fuel or provisions. A prize court must leave as soon as the circumstances which justify its entry are at end. If it does not the neutral power must order it to leave at once; should it fail to obey the neutral power must release it with its officers and crew and to intern the prize crew.

A subsequent article enlarges the power of the captor to a prize so that it may bring the captured vessel into a neutral port "to be sequestered pending the decision of a prize court," but the United States, at the time the treaty was made, expressly declined to accept this article and debate at The Hague showed the American position was strongly opposed to any such use of American ports. It was pointed out that otherwise the United States would employ the means at its disposal to release it with its officers and crew and to intern the prize crew.

As several British cruisers are without doubt already watching the entrance to Chesapeake Bay, a speedy capture of the Appam would seem inevitable should her commander choose to depart. But by his declaration to Collector Hamilton that his ship was a German auxiliary cruiser, Lieutenant Berg has injected a new element into the problem. This involves the right to change the character of a ship while on the high seas from a simple merchantman to a government war vessel.



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Domestic Science meets with Mrs. E. R. Nash, Jr., Morrow street; 3 o'clock.

Girls' Bridge plays with Miss Ross Long, Eighteenth and Jefferson; 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Layton Puckett, 1616 Washington, gives debutante bridge party; 3 o'clock.

Parent Teachers' association meets, Sanger school; 3:15 o'clock.

Bayliff Round Table meets with Mrs. L. R. Armstrong, 1825 Austin avenue; 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Matinee Bridge plays with Mrs. A. S. Haber, 1392 Austin avenue; 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Euchre plays with Mrs. John Sleeper, 1111 Austin avenue; 3:30 o'clock.

Saint Paul's Guild meets, Parish building; 4 o'clock.

Bayliff Round Table meets with Miss Louise Willis, 1929 South Fifth street; 3:30 o'clock.

Neighborhood Neighbors meet with Mrs. W. J. Sinclair, 2109 Columbus street; 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed Kavanagh, North Twentieth street, is bridge hostess for Mrs. Fowler of Waxahachie; 3 o'clock.

Board of Directors holds monthly meeting, Evangelical Settlement, at 10 o'clock.

PALETTE AND BRUSH CLUB WITH MISS MAUDE BROWN

On Thursday afternoon, Miss Maude Brown of North Fifteenth street is hostess to the Palette and Brush club.

MISS SALLIE MORSE HAS FRIDAY BRIDGE

Complimenting Miss Stella Johnson from Beaumont, Miss Sallie Morse has invited guests for a game of bridge within her home here on Friday afternoon.

MISS LUEDDE HOSTESS FOR MORNING BRIDGE

In her game of bridge for matron friends this morning, Miss Frances Luedde is complimenting Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie and Mrs. Fannie Wilcox, the aunt, who has recently come to make Waco her home.

MRS. WILLIAM EDMOND FOR MONDAY BRIDGE CLUB

With an additional table, and invitations to the Mesdames Hal Moody, Harvey Richey, Luke Moore, Jr., and Merchant Colgin to take these hands, Mrs. William Edmond was hostess to the new matron club, the Monday bridge. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. A. Little for the club high score and Mrs. Hal Moody for the guest.

Mrs. Walter Lay will entertain the club next Monday.

SANGER MOTHERS' CLUB MEETS THIS AFTERNOON

In the Sanger school hall, the Parents' Teachers' association meets this afternoon as announced in the calendar. All mothers of the school are urged to attend as subjects vital to every child are to be discussed; also the social hour provided. The formal program is:

Musical, voice, Miss Kate Hill.

Address, "Value of Good Teeth to the School Child," Dr. J. O. Hall.

"What Pure Food Means to the Child," Pure Food Inspector Hodges.

Music, piano, Mrs. James Pipkin.

MRS. RODDY HOSTESS FOR MISS MAMIE SILVERS

For the dreary hour of Monday afternoon, Mrs. Louis Roddy invited a few in to pass the time with bridge, and to welcome the homecoming of Miss Mamie Silvers, now of San Francisco. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. A. Little for the club high score and Mrs. Hal Moody for the guest.

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ROUSING SUFFRAGE CLUB FORMED OUT AT LORENA

With Mrs. Betty Robinson of Lorena presiding, an audience of two or more heard speeches from Mrs. J. B. Cunningham of Galveston, state president of the Texas Suffrage Society; from Miss Elizabeth Freeman, organizer for Texas from New York, and Mrs. W. E. Speller, president of the First Lady in Lorena, who is the first woman to give lectures on the franchise club. The enthusiasm of these was contagious. Men as well as women were present, and men as well as women left the building wearing the "Vote for Women" button. Following the organization of the club, a social session was enjoyed. Going out with the speakers from the city club were the Mesdames Spell, J. W. Downs, S. P. Brooks, Pearl Lovelace, with the Misses Nellie Dancy, Elizabeth Patton, Edmond, Sue Edmond and Ida Orand.

MRS. W. W. KENDALL IS SURPRISE HONOREE

In remembering that her birthday had arrived, Mrs. W. W. Kendall was all unaware that with it had been arranged a surprise party. All was to be a quiet affair, with friends gathered and gifts purchased, when the evening hour arrived. Mrs. Kendall soon found her living room filled with guests and her dining room with self constituted cooks. The gifts were jewels and gold dressed dolls and other reminders of the years when the little girl's birthday was such an exciting time. Nor were the flowers and good wishes forgotten. The sisters, the Mesdames William Massey, Thomas Dockery and John Dockery with Miss Elizabeth Speight assumed role of hostesses. Soon the cup of tea was brewed, and the good time everywhere. Those who gave this happy surprise to Mrs. Kendall were the Mesdames T. W. Campbell, N. C. Dalcher, Minnie Groll King, M. C. H. Park, J. T. Strain, Howard Lanham, John Dyer, E. M. Dotson, Kellum, J. W. Gooch and E. R. Nash.

MISS PETERSON FEATURED IN NEW YORK SOCIETY

The dailies of New York City have made much over an entertainment which took place at the Waldorf-Astoria within the past week. This was under the auspices of the Junior League and was termed the "Night of Beautiful Nonsense." The Junior League includes present and last season debutantes, Miss Frederica Peterson being one of the latter. The

proceeds netted thousands of dollars. Representative society folk of exclusive New York were the patrons. A reel of moving picture, picturesque and society dancing by members of the League, followed by supper dance, was the form of entertainment for three nights. The proceeds will all be applied to philanthropies which the League fosters. The New York Sun features Miss Peterson in photograph as one of the attractive performers, and gives special paragraph to the mention that she will take part in the Junior League entertainment. Miss Peterson's intimate connection here, both family and friends, make these notes from her carry local interest. Further, why not some of Waco's young society, band for some purpose higher than just having a good time?

MISS IMOLA LINK HONOREE OF DINNER AND BRIDGE

It was quite the graceful bachelor courtesy that of Hugh Brewer, in honor of Miss Imola Link of Houston, who was dinner party within her own home. This courtesy opened the week's succession of gayety, a dinner for the early evening hour and the game of bridge later. Anticipating this dual pleasure, small tables surrounded the larger, which, with cloth removed, was ready for the game. The white of narcissus with the golden glow of the Jonquil was found on each table, the more elaborate piece of the center flanked by Miss Virginia Lazenby for leading in the bridge score. The same flower was on the place cards. Simple in description yet much admired in the ensemble picture was this dinner. Seven courses made the menu. In enjoying this routine with Mr. Brewer and Miss Link, there were the Mesdames Mabel Chambers, Elizabeth Patton, Sallie Thompson, Eleanor Blair, Enrique Smith, Frances Van Doodle, Emma Farrell, Mary Farrell, Pauline McLeary, Kathleen O'Brien, O. C. B. McCollum, Doyle Eastland, Floyd Holland, Beck, Ed Humphries, Coman Shear, W. Bowden Hays, Hugh White, Madison Cooper, Chapman Cartwright, Bruce Dunson and Ross Padgett. The Mesdames Rives Patten Halsey and J. W. Orand assisted Mrs. H. K. Brewer as matron hostesses.

MRS. FOWLER INTRODUCED BY MRS. ED LAUGHLIN

With guests to take place at ten tables, Mrs. Ed Laughlin opened the week in bridge circles by introducing her home guest, Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie. While the multi-course personal, Mrs. Laughlin included members of her bridge club, the Saturday Auction. The first feature found introductions to honor, and the next, the pleasant game. When this came to an end, as duty demanded, baskets showing the ivory, blue or green tone, and all overflowing with the rich gold of the calendar, were set, one on each table. There was merry cutting for the first round, and a most congenial favor. When the scores were reckoned, there came the same baskets much enlarged, one for Mrs. Fowler and another from Mrs. Ben Moulden as master of top scores. As the luncheon came, the Mesdames M. D. Baker and Edgar Witt called to meet hostess and her honoree. Those winning the consolation baskets were, the Mesdames Anny Smith, Sidney Burrows, Charles Gooch, L. A. Potter, Ed Kavanagh, Perry Neal, J. H. Canfield, Hunt Jones, Haus of Kentucky and C. H. Anderson. Other than these, Mrs. Laughlin entertained, Miss Frances Luedde with the Mesdames Forest Goodman, Charles Smith, H. C. Wingo, Frank Wells, W. P. Killingsworth, John Wright, Shel Sparks, J. W. Whitworth, Jesse Penix, Robert Coleman, Pio reap, Hafter, Louis Sparks, Ralph Turner, J. B. Cooper, George Hunter Smith, Layton Puckett, S. S. Hill, John Ray, Carroll Terry, Julian Prade, Edwin Jurney, Turner Hubby, Marian Herz, Coke Horne, Robert Potts, L. C. Alexander.

Society Notes

Polyana, the Glad Girl, is still delighting her audiences. Who says that a story which reaches way down in the heart, does not continue in popularity? What a time Madame Vanity does have getting beautiful! Not long ago the Beauty Doctor had her caviorting about barefaced in the early morning, saying, "I'm just a beauty, between the toes was best for the complexion; now, the prescription is, run around in the soft, warm rain."

Now that Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the First Lady in Lorena, affects the single orchid in her fur neck piece, what are we going to do? We must follow the lead of the high and mighty, but where are we to find either the orchid or the dollar with which to buy it?

Why not the Domestic Science give us a treat? In other words, can they not arrange to bring from Home Economics Week in Austin, Mrs. Carson who comes to Texas to give lectures on the artistic in house and clothes?

Here is the new idea for a bon voyage gift. It is a pretty embroidered envelope just the size of a cabinet photograph, something serviceable and protective of the family photographs which the tourist might like to have with her.

At present, Mrs. Lucine Mosely Harvey is water-bound from Philadelphia to Old Mexico. She accompanies Mr. Harvey on a business trip.

One of the most noteworthy returns from Hugh Brewer's dinner party on Monday evening was the sudden conversion of our staid postmaster, C. B. McCollum, to the fascination of bridge. This is considered a triumph for the bridge players, and they are demonstrating a hearty welcome to Mr. McCollum for his change of heart. All things come to those who wait, even to a bridge circle.

While we enjoy the "movies" through our eye, why not enjoy them through our mind, too? This means, when classics are advertised in advance of the reels, why not read and study from the book what we are to enjoy from the screen? This will make enjoyment all the more.

Polite usage says it is not correct to place "senior" after any woman's name. She is simply Mrs. John Blank. It is the son's wife who designates two Mrs. Blanks, by affixing the "junior" to her name.

Mrs. Mary Evans has taken apartment with Mrs. William Meade on Terrace Row, within this week.

Mrs. Burroughs from Liberty, Missouri, former visitor to her daughter, Mrs. Wright, has returned for an extended sojourn with Mrs. Wright, on Speight street.

The result of the Equal Franchise tea for the distinguished visitors of

Last Day for Men to Order Hot Weather Suits

Mr. Gardiner, special representative of the Spanish Linen Suit Co., leaves tonight, so if you're going to have one of these supremely comfortable and decidedly fashionable Suits for next summer, you'll have to place your order today. Come see Mr. Gardiner's samples, or phone and he'll come see you.

THE GOLDSTEIN-MIGEL CO.

"Waco's Greatest Department Store"

Saturday added forty new members to the local club roll.

In entertaining Mrs. Cunningham and Miss Freeman, the suffrage visitors, at Georgia Burleson and T. H. Meadames Pearl Lovelace and T. H. Chapman invited a few to enjoy a Sunday afternoon dinner.

The call of Mrs. Leslie Stegal to Dallas was to meet the remains of her younger sister, Miss Rose Rogers. Miss Rogers passed away in Denver and was interred in Dallas. As a pupil in lower grades here, she will be recalled by many schoolmates and friends.

The Mesdames R. B. Spencer and Pauline Wells had box guests at the Hippodrome on Tuesday evening in courtesy to Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie.

Miss Minnie Kilgough and Mrs. Charles Langhorne, despite the incense cold and continuous rain, report every moment monopolized with social courtesy from the friends of Mrs. McDonald, whom they are visiting in Cleburne.

Since she is not entertaining since the passing away of her father, Mrs. J. J. Powers is having Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie, together with her home guest, Mrs. Carroll of Athens, for informal luncheon guests on Thursday.

News has returned from Mrs. Winthrop Sargent, who left on Sunday, for the husband and her journey to Haverford, suburban Philadelphia.

The shirtwaists which are coming for our spring purchase feature the jumper idea, and quite acceptably, those who have had first peep, tell us.

The prediction is, that the difficulty in obtaining dyes from abroad is to give the white silk hose a reign of undisputed sway when the good old summer time comes around again.

When Mrs. W. H. Pool and her committee finish the collection for the State University civic contest, it is suggested that this be placed in some public place, so that civic pride may be stimulated within our own city. It is ever the old saying, "Nothing succeeds like success," so, if Waco has been a success in promoting civic beauty, the success should bring some more of its kind. In the meantime, remember, the truly beautiful city is that in which every home yard is a beauty asset.

And the evening is here! That is, the extension from door to curb for society to alight from cars in bad weather. One more city air for Waco.

The awning has not yet done service, but it will at the very first opportunity. Besides protection from weather this carries privacy into downtown functions.

Remember, society must do all its entertaining before the Easter tide year, since it is almost May before the Lenten season ends.

Society Personals

Miss Virginia Eddens of Washington street is at home from a visit of several days with Miss Lucy Keese in Marlin.

Mrs. Gabriel Bodenheimer of North Fifteenth street is at home from Houston.

Mrs. M. G. Muse of Beaumont arrived on Tuesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Edwin Jurney, North Ninth street.

Mrs. G. H. Pape having returned from New York City is down from Dallas for a few days with her mother, Mrs. Richard Jurney, North Tenth street.

On Thursday, Miss Minnie Kilgough and Mrs. Charles Langhorne of Houston will return from their visit to Mrs. Norma Conger McDonald in Cleburne.

The Mesdames Ethel Foster and Frances Hays reach home from Tyler today. Among tonight's arrivals at home will be that of Miss Katherine Ray, widow of President Heights. She returns from Texas.

Mrs. Leslie Stegal of Speight street is at home from Dallas.

On Thursday, Dr. and Mrs. Irvine Colgin with Miss Monette Colgin leave for several weeks in Chicago.

Following her return visit from Houston to Mrs. Ira Seley, Miss Nan Lewis Leonard has returned home to Memphis, Tenn.

Among present visitors to the city is Mrs. Haus from Kentucky. She is the guest of Mrs. Ed Kavanagh, North Twentieth street.

Mrs. W. B. Walsh, who spent a few days with Mrs. Louis Stephens, North Twentieth street, has returned home to Tyler.

Mrs. Louis Stephens accompanied Mr. Stephens to

Closed Their Doors

The Big Department Store of Crawford & McGhee of Temple, Texas, taken over by the

U. S. Bankrupt Sale Co.

OF WACO.

The greater part of the above mentioned stock has been shipped to Waco and is NOW ON SALE, Corner Fourth and Austin Streets, Waco.

The stock consists of brand new seasonable merchandise and will be sold for wholesale cost and less.

We have agreed to pay the creditors in thirty days, and we are not going to dig down in our pockets for a single dollar, but we are going to sell the merchandise to the good people of Waco, at a price that will raise the money.

THE CREDITORS MUST BE PAID

Read prices below, grab your hat and pocketbook and come.	
Men's Winter Suits, values \$12.50 to \$20.00.....	\$6.98
Men's Overcoats, values \$10.00 to \$15.00.....	\$5.98
Men's Fine Raincoats, values \$4.00 to \$6.00.....	\$1.89
Ladies' Fine Poplin Raincoats, values up to \$10.00.....	\$2.98
Men's Fine Dress Pants, values up to \$3.00.....	\$1.48
Men's Work Pants, values up to \$2.00.....	\$.98
Boys' Fine Dress Overcoats, values to \$8.00.....	\$1.98
Stetson Hats, values up to \$5.00.....	\$2.98
Edwin Clapp Shoes, values up to \$7.50.....	\$3.98
Boys' Jersey Sweaters, values up to 75c.....	\$.23

World's of Valuable Merchandise Not Mentioned Here,

ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.

Shoes for the whole family at any old price.

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GUARDSMEN PROPOSE TO TAKE MAGNESIA AFTER MEALS TO STOP INDIGESTION

SENATE REJECTS PROPOSAL TO ELIMINATE NAVAL BASE IN PHILIPPINES.

REPEAL EMERGENCY REVENUE

Tariff Commission Bill Introduced in House—Navy Needs Sodium Nitrate.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Resumed debate on Philippine bill.

Naval committee deferred action on government armor plate plant bill.

Military committee heard Senator Cummins on his bill to re-organize national guard.

By vote of forty-eight to fourteen refused to eliminate from Philippine bills provision under which naval bases would be retained in islands.

Recessed at 4:55 p. m. to Wednesday.

House.

Military and naval committee continued hearings on preparedness program.

Indian appropriation bill discussion continued.

Judiciary committee heard men representatives of anti-women suffrage organizations in opposition to woman suffrage constitutional amendment.

Surgeon General Blue urged federal aid for indigent tuberculosis patients.

Hearing on proposed mixed flour legislation continued before ways and means committee.

Investigation of possible violations of anti-trust laws by packing companies asked in resolution by Representative Borland of Missouri.

Administration tariff commission bill introduced by Representative Rainey of Illinois.

Appropriation of \$500,000 and use of army tents and equipment for relief of flood sufferers in Mississippi valley proposed in resolution by Representative Russell of Missouri.

Investigation of establishment of a new navy yard on the California coast proposed in bill by Representative Stephens of California.

Adjourned at 5 p. m. to noon Wednesday.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Secretary Garrison and the executive committee of the National Guard association came to a branch today over the administration's plan for a continental army.

Before the senate and house military committees, members of the guardmen's committee, headed by Adjutant General Foster of Florida, declared the continental army scheme "impractical" and contended for federalization of the national guard by congressional action. Compensation of the guardmen by the federal government was also a subject of discussion.

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May Repeal Emergency Law

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Philippine bill a provision for retention of a base in the islands. Debate on Senator Sumner's amendment, which would grant independence only after a majority of the Philippines had voted in favor of separation from the United States, occupied most of the day, despite efforts of democratic leaders to hasten debate.

Senator Lodge attacked the proposal that the neutrality of the islands be guaranteed after independence, declaring that "no mistake is as great as a half way measure."

"I cannot say whether the Philippines are fit for self-government," he said, "but they certainly are unfit to have the power to involve us with other nations when we have not the power to control them and prevent it."

Navy in Good Shape.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 1.—A sufficient supply of ammunition is on hand, Rear Admiral Strauss, chief of ordnance of the navy, told the house naval committee today, to equip all ships already constructed. The supply for ships under construction or authorized, however, is not adequate. For present ships Admiral Strauss said, an ample reserve supply also has been accumulated.

It developed that the navy department hopes to obtain appropriations under which it can store more than 30,000,000 tons of sodium nitrate or a two years' supply for the manufacture of navy powder as a reserve against the possibility of a war, in which the United States would be cut off from Chile. Because of the lack of ocean carriers at anything but exorbitant freight rates also, it is planned to bring some of the nitrate to this country in naval vessels.

Admiral Fletcher asserting that the open-sea work of the fleet last year showed a 25 per cent improvement over the preceding year and was the best in the history of the service.

Tariff Commission Bill Introduced.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The administration's tariff commission bill was introduced in the house today by Representative Rainey of Illinois, ranking democratic member on the ways and means committee, who will have charge of the measure. It is opposed by Representative Majority Leader Kitchin. The bill provides five commissioners at a salary of \$12,000 each.

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COUNTY MEDICS TO INVESTIGATE NEW INSURANCE

Definite action upon the proposed indorsement of the National Medical Service Insurance association, recently launched in this city, was postponed when the matter came up for consideration at the meeting of the McLennan County Medical Society last night, though a majority of those present were opposed to participation by the doctors in the plan. After considerable discussion the subject was referred to the committee on public health and legislation, consisting of Dr. K. H. Aynesworth, Dr. J. T. Harrington and Dr. H. M. Lanham, with instructions to bring in a report at an early date. It is likely that this report will be made at a called meeting of the society within the next week or ten days.

Objections urged against the plan were that it would work a great disadvantage to the doctors in that it would deprive them of their practice at regular rates among those who are able to pay for medical services, and would be unfair to the poor people among whom the doctors do a great deal of charity work at present by making them pay as well for medical services as the well-to-do.

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Chlo, Ala.—"I had been in good health until I was 15 years old," writes Mrs. A. L. Snell, of R. F. D. No. 1, this place, "but one day... I was helping my father plant cotton in the field and was caught in the rain... At that time I got very ill... I suffered great agony in the lower abdomen, right side, and had dreadful sick headache, and had dreams... I got dreadfully thin and simply gave entirely up. I had to go to bed and was there, on my back, for two weeks."

"Dr. — said I'd have to have an operation. I wouldn't hear to that, as my mother had used Cardui with great benefit, she recommended that I take Cardui... Soon after I began taking it I saw an improvement, and was able to get up and be about my work."

"I was nearly entirely well... when one day... I scrubbed the whole house, washed the clothes for 7 in the family, and got my feet wet. This caused another sick spell... So I turned again to my old friend, Dr. Cardui... After the use of less than a bottle again I was able to be up and about my work... I also fleshed up again, got good color, and I am now in good health... I highly recommend Cardui... It is the best tonic that I know of."

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NO TRACE FOUND OF MISS WINNIE SPRUCE AFTER WIDE SEARCH

All efforts to locate Miss Winnie Spruce, the 17-year-old sister of Mrs. George S. McGhee, 901 North Seventeenth street, who was last seen by relatives or friends about 9 o'clock Monday morning, proved fruitless up to an early hour this morning. T. H. Williams, division passenger agent of the Southern Traction company, stated that a girl answering the description of Miss Spruce purchased a ticket to Dallas some time Monday morning, but he could not identify a picture of her. Taking this clue, E. E. Ingram, county probation officer, went to Dallas yesterday, but up to a late hour last night his search had not brought any results.

Miss Spruce left home just before 9 o'clock for school. She rode on a Provident street car with a school mate, Miss Louise Gold, who says that Miss Spruce told her she was going to make some purchases in town before going to school. No knowledge of the girl is available after this time.

Relatives of Miss Spruce can not throw any light on the subject, nor can her friends, with the exception that she had been worrying considerably of late over her overwork was too much for her and resulted in a nervous break-down.

When she left home she appeared to be in good spirits, but, according to Miss Gould, she appeared downcast when she rode to town with her on the same car. A description of the girl follows: Blonde, sharp profile, five feet and a half tall, slender, weight 115 pounds, light brown hair and blue eyes. When she left home Miss Spruce was wearing a dark green coat suit, black turban hat with gilt braid and with a brown raincoat over her coat. She had on brogue shoes. She wore a signet ring with the letters "C. S." engraved on it and also wore a friendship bracelet. She had a band on her upper arm as they were being treated by a dentist.

Miss Spruce's mother, Mrs. B. F. Spruce, a sister, Miss Emily Spruce, a teacher on the second avenue school, and a brother, Clark Spruce, also reside with Mr. and Mrs. McGhee. Another brother, W. Spruce, who lives in Cleburne, is also in Dallas in search of her.

Police searched the city the entire day yesterday but were unable to find a single trace of Miss Spruce and were unable to find anyone who had heard from her after 9 o'clock Monday morning.

BRITISH SHIP APPAM NOT LOST BUT CAPTURED BY GERMANS

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not sight a single British or French man of war from the time she parted company with the Moewe until she entered Hampton Roads. The entire voyage was without incident, the regular crew operating the ship under the command of the British flag until she reached the three-mile limit.

When the Appam dropped anchor in Hampton Roads she was boarded by the quarantine officer, Dr. H. W. McCaffery, and given a clean bill of health. Soon afterward Lieutenant Berg came ashore and called upon the German consul, Marshall von Shilling, and together they went to the office of Colonel Haynes, commander of Fort Monroe, to pay an official call. The commander of the prize then reported by telephone the arrival of the vessel to Collector Hamilton of the Norfolk-Newport News district and later came to Norfolk on an official call. The Appam arrived short of fuel and provisions and Mr. Hamilton gave permission to take on a quantity of stores tonight.

Among those aboard are fifteen women and a number of children. The exact number has not been determined. Sir Edward Merfether, governor of Sierra Leone, a British province in West Africa, and his wife are passengers. There are also several officers of the British army and navy. Others include Fred James, secretary-administrator of Nigeria, who is a relative of Lord Bessborough.

Captured Shippers on Board.
The masters of all the vessels captured are on the Appam except the captain of the Clan MacTavish, who with most of the members of his crew probably was taken aboard the Moewe. The captured skippers are H. G. Harrison of the Appam, Ralph T. Yeates of the Author, David Barton of the Corbridge, Robert Reid of the Ariadne, John Brockett of the Dromonby and John P. Jones of the Farrington.

Lieutenant Berg refused to give any information to any newspaper men and would permit none of them to come aboard while the status of the vessel still remained undetermined.

Question Puzzles Washington.
Washington, Feb. 1.—Until it is decided whether the German commander aboard the British steamer Appam brought the ship to an American port as a prize of war or as a converted auxiliary cruiser of the German navy, there will be no determination of the American government's course respecting the ship.

When certain formalities have been complied with the ship's passengers, including several British colonial officials, will be released and their disposition passed on by immigration authorities. Any prisoners of war will be released, because international law permits no holding of war prisoners in a neutral country.

The United States then finally will have to deal with the German crew under Lieutenant Berg and if they are accounted in the naval service of Germany as were the crews of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich and the Kron Prinz Wilhelm, already interned at the Norfolk naval yard, they, too, will be interned unless their ship goes to sea to run the cordon of British cruisers outside.

As to the disposition of the Appam herself, if she is held to be an auxiliary cruiser, her commander will have the option of putting to sea after a certain time to make repairs and take provisions. If she is declared a prize the situation becomes more complex and in that event it is admitted that the United States will have to deal with probably the most novel question concerning its neutrality that has arisen during the war.

Referred to Neutrality Board.
As one of the first steps the problem will be referred to the neutrality board, which is an unofficial body composed of James Brown Scott, former solicitor of the state department; Capt. Harry S. Knapp of the navy general board and Capt. J. H. Oliver, head of the naval intelligence office.

The board's findings, while merely advisory, have weight with the state department.

It was pointed out at the state de-



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partment that there is much confusion in the treaties and provisions of international law on the subject of prizes, the right to convert captured vessels into auxiliary warships and the right of reclamation by the original owners of captured vessels. One theory largely held is that title to the captured vessel does not pass until a prize court has acted. Another opinion strongly championed is that title passes immediately after the capture is made providing the senior officer of the captors duly commissions one of his own officers or crew as the commander of the captured ship. The latter view is commonly accepted by the American navy and probably would be followed by the state department, though Secretary Lansing said today he would have to take time to consider the important question involved before announcing a conclusion.

Assuming that the American naval view prevails, the initial character of the Appam after her capture as a prize would be established and there would be no developments in the case, if it does not the neutral power must order it to leave at once; should it fail to obey the neutral power must employ the means at its disposal to release it with its officers and crew and to intern the prize crew.

Prize Can Be Brought In.
This article permits prizes to be brought into a neutral port on account of unseaworthiness, stress of weather or want of fuel or provisions. A prize must leave as soon as the circumstances justify its entry at anchor. If it does not the neutral power must order it to leave at once; should it fail to obey the neutral power must employ the means at its disposal to release it with its officers and crew and to intern the prize crew.

A subsequent article enlarges the power of the captor of a prize so that he may bring the captured vessel into a neutral port "to be sequestered pending the decision of a prize court," but the United States at the time the treaty was made, expressly declined to accept this article and debate at The Hague showed the American position was strongly opposed to any such use of American ports. It was pointed out that otherwise the United States would actually be made the base of operations by one belligerent against another.

As several British cruisers are without doubt already watching the entrance to Chesapeake Bay, a speedy recapture of the Appam would seem inevitable should her commander choose to depart.

But by his declaration to Collector Hamilton that his ship was an auxiliary cruiser Lieutenant Berg has injected a new element into the problem. This involves the right to change the character of a ship while on the high seas from a simple merchantman to a government war vessel.



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CURRENT EVENTS in WOMAN'S SPHERE

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WOMAN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS WEDNESDAY

Domestic Science meets with Mrs. E. R. Nash, Jr., Morrow street; 3 o'clock.

Girls' Bridge plays with Miss Bess Long, Eighteenth and Jefferson; 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Layton Puckett, 1616 Washington, gives debutante bridge party; 3 o'clock.

Parent Teachers' association meets, Sanger school; 3:15 o'clock.

Review Club meets with Mrs. L. R. Armstrong, 1829 Austin avenue; 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Matinee Bridge plays with Mrs. A. S. Haber, 1302 Austin avenue; 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Euchre plays with Mrs. John Steep, 1111 Austin avenue; 3:30 o'clock.

Saint Paul's Guild meets, Parish building; 4 o'clock.

Baylor Round Table meets with Miss Louise Willis, 1020 South Fifth street; 3:30 o'clock.

Neighbors' Club meets with Mrs. W. J. Sinclair, 2199 Columbus street; 3 o'clock.

Miss Frances Luedde is bridge hostess, 1712 Austin avenue; 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh, North Twentieth street, is bridge hostess for Mrs. Fowler of Waxahachie; 3 o'clock.

Board of Directors holds monthly meeting, Evangelia Settlement, at 10 o'clock.

PALETTE AND BRUSH CLUB WITH MISS MAUDE BROWN
On Thursday afternoon, Miss Maude Brown of North Fifteenth street is hostess to the Palette and Brush club.

MISS SALLIE MORSE HAS FRIDAY BRIDGE
Complimenting Miss Stella Johnson from Beaumont, Miss Sallie Morse has invited guests for a game of bridge within her home here on Friday afternoon.

MISS LUEDDE HOSTESS FOR MORNING BRIDGE
In her game of bridge for matron friends this morning, Miss Frances Luedde is complimenting Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie and Mrs. Fannie Wilcox, the aunt, who has recently come to make Waco her home.

MRS. WILLIAM EDMOND FOR MONDAY BRIDGE CLUB
With an additional table, and invitations to the Mesdames Hal Moody, Harvey Colby, L. Moore, Jr., and Merchant Colgin to take these hands, Mrs. William Edmond was hostess to the new matron club, the Monday bridge. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. A. Little for the club high score and Mrs. Hal Moody for the grand slam. Mrs. Walter Lacy will entertain the club next Monday.

SANGER MOTHERS' CLUB MEETS THIS AFTERNOON
In the Sanger school hall, the Parent Teachers' association meets this afternoon as announced in the calendar. All mothers of the school are urged to attend and subjects vital to every child are to be discussed; also the social hour provided. The formal program is:

Music, voice, Miss Kate Hill.
Address, "Value of Good Teeth to the School Child," Dr. J. O. Hall.
Recitation, "Pure Milk," to the Child, "Pure Food," Inspector Hodges.
Music, piano, Mrs. James Pipkin.

MRS. RODDY HOSTESS FOR MISS MAMIE SILVERS
For the dreary hour of Monday afternoon, Mrs. Louis Roddy invited a few in to pass the time with bridge, and to welcome the homecoming of Miss Mamie Silvers, now of San Francisco.

Playing within this informal game were the Mesdames Silvers and Bertha Alexander with the Mesdames Isaac Simmons, Edward Silvers, Robert Silvers, Nathan Cinnamon and Louis Katz. Following the game, all assembled around the 5 o'clock tea table. Prizes in the game were honor favor, head for Edward Silvers and consolation for Mrs. Cinnamon.

ROUSING SUFFRAGE CLUB FORMED OUT AT LORENA
With Mrs. Betty Robinson of Lorena presiding, an audience of two or more hundred heard speeches from Mrs. J. B. Cunningham of Galveston, state president of the Texas Suffrage Society, from Miss Elizabeth Freeman, organizer for Texas from New York, and Mrs. W. E. Spell, president of the Waco Equal Franchise club. The enthusiasm of these was contagious. Men as well as women were present, and men as well as women left the building wearing the "Vote for Women" button. Following the organization of the club, a social session was enjoyed. Going out with the speakers from the city club were the Mesdames Spell, J. W. Downs, S. P. Brooks, P. H. Lovelace, with the Mesdames Nellie Dancy, Elizabeth Patton, Kate Edmond, Sue Edmond and Ida Orand.

MRS. W. W. KENDALL IS SURPRISE HONOREE
In remembering that her birthday had arrived, Mrs. W. W. Kendall was all unaware that with it was to arrive a surprise party. All had been planned, luncheon provided, friends notified and gifts purchased, when the evening hour arrived. Mrs. Kendall soon found her living room filled with guests and her dining room with self constituted cooks. The gifts were jewels and gold, dressed dolls, and other reminders of the years when the little girl's birthday was such an exciting time. Nor were the flowers and good wishes forgotten. The sisters, the Mesdames William Massey, Thomas Dockery and John Dockery with Miss Elizabeth Speight assumed role of hostesses. Soon the cup of tea was brewed, and the good time everywhere. Those who gave this happy surprise to Mrs. Kendall were the Mesdames T. F. Bryan, J. N. Gallagher, Minnie Carroll King, M. C. H. Park, J. T. Strain, Edward Landhard, Walter, E. R. Nash.

MISS PETERSON FEATURED IN NEW YORK SOCIETY
The dailies of New York City have made much over an entertainment which took place at the Waldorf-Astoria within the past week. This was under the auspices of the Junior League and was termed the "City of Beautiful Nonsense." The Junior League includes present and last season debutantes, Miss Frederica Peterson being one of the latter. The

proceeds netted thousands of dollars. Representative society folk of exclusive New York were the patrons. A reel of moving picture, picturesquely depicting society life, members of the League, followed by supper dance, was the form of entertainment for three nights. The proceeds will all be applied to philanthropies which the League fosters. The New York Sun features Miss Peterson in photograph as one of the attractive performers, and gives special paragraph to the mention that she will take part in the Junior League entertainment. Miss Peterson's intimate connection with both family and friends, make these notes from her carry local interest. Further, why not some of Waco's young society girls, band for some purpose higher than just having a good time?

MISS IMOLA LINK HONOREE OF DINNER AND BRIDGE
It was quite the graceful bachelor courtesy that of Hugh Brewer, in honoring Miss Imola Link of Houston with a dinner party within his own home. This courtesy opened the week's successful gayety, a dinner for the early evening hour and the game of bridge later. Anticipating this dual pleasure, small tables surrounded the larger, which, with cloth removed, was ready for the game. The white of narcissus with the golden glow of the tapers and on each table a more elaborate piece of the center falling later to Miss Virginia Lazenby for leading in the bridge score. The same flower was on the place cards. Simple in description yet much admired in ensemble picture was this dinner. Seven courses made the menu. In enjoying this courtesy with Mr. Brewer and Miss Link, there were the Mesdames Mabel Chambers, Elizabeth Patton, Sallie Thompson, Eleanor Blair, Enrique Smith, Frances Van Bode, Edna Farrell, Mary Farrell, Fay Clinton, Pauline McLendon, Katherine Otis of Chicago, Ruth Hubby, with Byron Arnold, C. B. McCollum, Doyle Eastland, Floyd Holland, Beck, Ed Humphries, Coman Shear, W. Bowden Hays, Hugh White, Madison Cooper, Elckham Cartwright, Bruce Dunham and Ross Padgett. The Mesdames Rives Posten Halsey and J. W. Orand assisted Mrs. H. K. Brewer as matron hostesses.

MRS. FOWLER INTRODUCED BY MRS. ED LAUGHLIN
With guests to take place at ten tables, Mrs. Ed Laughlin opened the week in bridge circles by introducing her home guest, Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie. While invitations were personal, Mrs. Laughlin included members of her bridge club, the Saturday Auction. The first feature, introductions to honoree, and the next, the pleasant game. When this came to an end, dainty enamel baskets showing the Ivory, blue or green tone, and all overflowing with the rich gold of the calendar, were set, one on each table. There was merry cutting for these, the ten making a multi consolation favor. When the scores were reckoned, there came the same baskets much enlarged, one for Mrs. Fowler and another from Mrs. Ben Moulden as maker of top score. As the luncheon came, the Mesdames M. D. Baker and Edgar Witt called to meet hostess and her honoree. Those winning the consolation baskets were Mrs. Mesdames Joney Smith, Sidney Burrows, Charles Gooch, L. A. Potter, Ed Kavanaugh, Perry Neal, J. H. Caulfield, Hunt Jones, Haus of Kentucky and C. H. Anderson. Other than these, Mrs. Laughlin entertained, Mrs. Frances Luedde with the Mesdames Forrest Goodman, Charles Smith, H. C. Wingo, Frank Wells, W. P. Killingsworth, John Wright, Shel Sparks, J. W. Whitworth, Jesse Penix, Robert Coleman, Pio Crespi, Hafner, L. O. Sparks, Ralph Turner, J. B. Cooper, George Hunter Smith, Layton Puckett, E. S. Hill, John Ray, Carroll Terry, Julian Prade, Edwin Jurney, Turner Hubby, Marian Herz, Coke Horne, Robert Potts, L. C. Alexander.

Society Notes
Polyana, the Glad Girl, is still delighting her audiences. Who says that a story which reaches way down in the heart, does not continue in popularity? What a time Madame Vernet has been having getting beautiful! Not long ago the Beauty Doctor had her caviorting about barefooted in the early morning dew, saying moisture absorbed between the toes was best for the complexion; now the prescription is, run around in the soft, warm rain.

Now that Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, the First Lady in the Land, affects the single orchid in her fur neck piece, what are we going to do? We must follow the lead of the high aristocracy, but where are we to find either the orchid or the dollar with which to buy it?

Why not the Domestic Science give us a treat? In other words, can they not arrange to bring from Home Economics Week in Austin, Mrs. Carson who comes to Texas to give lectures on the artistic in house and clothes?

Here is the new idea for a bon voyage gift. It is a pretty embroidered towel, the size of a cabinet photograph, something serviceable yet protective of the family photographs which the tourist might like to have with her.

At present, Mrs. Lurline Mosely Harvey is water-bound from Philadelphia to Old Mexico. She accompanies Mr. Harvey on a business trip. One of the most noteworthy returns from Hugh Brewer's dinner party on Monday evening was the sudden conversion of our staid postmaster, C. B. McCollum, to the fascination of bridge. This is considered a triumph for the bridge players, and they are demonstrating a hearty welcome to Mr. McCollum for his change of heart. All things come to those who wait, even to a bridge circle.

"While we enjoy the 'movies' through our eye, why not enjoy them through our mind, too? This means, when classics are advertised in advance of the reels, why not read and study from the book what we are to enjoy from the screen? This will make enjoyment all the more.

Polite usage says it is not correct to place "senior" after any woman's name. She is simply Mrs. John Blank. It is the son's wife who designates two Mrs. Blanks, by affixing the "junior" to her name.

Mrs. Mary Evans has taken apartment with Mrs. William Meade on Terrace Row within this week.

Mrs. Burroughs from Liberty, Missouri, former visitor to her daughter, Mrs. Wright, has returned for an extended sojourn with Mrs. Wright, on Speight street.

The result of the Equal Franchise tea for the distinguished visitors of

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CURRENT EVENTS in WOMAN'S SPHERE

Both Phones 1958

KATE FRIEND, Editor

WOMAN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS WEDNESDAY

Domestic Science meets with Mrs. E. R. Nash, Jr., Morrow street; 3 o'clock.

Girls' Bridge plays with Miss Bess Long, Eighteenth and Jefferson; 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Layton Puckett, 1616 Washington, gives debutante bridge party; 3 o'clock.

Parent Teachers' association meets, Sanger school; 3:15 o'clock.

Review Club meets with Mrs. L. R. Armstrong, 1829 Austin avenue; 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Matinee Bridge plays with Mrs. A. S. Haber, 1302 Austin avenue; 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Euchre plays with Mrs. John Steep, 1111 Austin avenue; 3:30 o'clock.

Saint Paul's Guild meets, Parish building; 4 o'clock.

Baylor Round Table meets with Miss Louise Willis, 1020 South Fifth street; 3:30 o'clock.

Neighbors' Club meets with Mrs. W. J. Sinclair, 2199 Columbus street; 3 o'clock.

Miss Frances Luedde is bridge hostess, 1712 Austin avenue; 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Ed Kavanaugh, North Twentieth street, is bridge hostess for Mrs. Fowler of Waxahachie; 3 o'clock.

Board of Directors holds monthly meeting, Evangelia Settlement, at 10 o'clock.

PALETTE AND BRUSH CLUB WITH MISS MAUDE BROWN
On Thursday afternoon, Miss Maude Brown of North Fifteenth street is hostess to the Palette and Brush club.

MISS SALLIE MORSE HAS FRIDAY BRIDGE
Complimenting Miss Stella Johnson from Beaumont, Miss Sallie Morse has invited guests for a game of bridge within her home here on Friday afternoon.

MISS LUEDDE HOSTESS FOR MORNING BRIDGE
In her game of bridge for matron friends this morning, Miss Frances Luedde is complimenting Mrs. Story Fowler from Waxahachie and Mrs. Fannie Wilcox, the aunt, who has recently come to make Waco her home.

MRS. WILLIAM EDMOND FOR MONDAY BRIDGE CLUB
With an additional table, and invitations to the Mesdames Hal Moody, Harvey Colby, L. Moore, Jr., and Merchant Colgin to take these hands, Mrs. William Edmond was hostess to the new matron club, the Monday bridge. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. A. Little for the club high score and Mrs. Hal Moody for the grand slam. Mrs. Walter Lacy will entertain the club next Monday.

SANGER MOTHERS' CLUB MEETS THIS AFTERNOON
In the Sanger school hall, the Parent Teachers' association meets this afternoon as announced in the calendar. All mothers of the school are urged to attend and subjects vital to every child are to be discussed; also the social hour provided. The formal program is:

Music, voice, Miss Kate Hill.
Address, "Value of Good Teeth to the School Child," Dr. J. O. Hall.
Recitation, "Pure Milk," to the Child, "Pure Food," Inspector Hodges.
Music, piano, Mrs. James Pipkin.

MRS. RODDY HOSTESS FOR MISS MAMIE SILVERS
For the dreary hour of Monday afternoon, Mrs. Louis Roddy invited a few in to pass the time with bridge, and to welcome the homecoming of Miss Mamie Silvers, now of San Francisco.

Playing within this informal game were the Mesdames Silvers and Bertha Alexander with the Mesdames Isaac Simmons, Edward Silvers, Robert Silvers, Nathan Cinnamon and Louis Katz. Following the game, all assembled around the 5 o'clock tea table. Prizes in the game were honor favor, head for Edward Silvers and consolation for Mrs. Cinnamon.

ROUSING SUFFRAGE CLUB FORMED OUT AT LORENA
With Mrs. Betty Robinson of Lorena presiding, an audience of two or more hundred heard speeches from Mrs. J. B. Cunningham of Galveston, state president of the Texas Suffrage Society, from Miss Elizabeth Freeman, organizer for Texas from New York, and Mrs. W. E. Spell, president of the Waco Equal Franchise club. The enthusiasm of these was contagious. Men as well as women were present, and men as well as women left the building wearing the "Vote for Women" button. Following the organization of the club, a social session was enjoyed. Going out with the speakers from the city club were the Mesdames Spell, J. W. Downs, S. P. Brooks, P. H. Lovelace, with the Mesdames Nellie Dancy, Elizabeth Patton, Kate Edmond, Sue Edmond and Ida Orand.

MRS. W. W. KENDALL IS SURPRISE HONOREE
In remembering that her birthday had arrived, Mrs. W. W. Kendall was all unaware that with it was to arrive a surprise party. All had been planned, luncheon provided, friends notified and gifts purchased, when the evening hour arrived. Mrs. Kendall soon found her living room filled with guests and her dining room with self constituted cooks. The gifts were jewels and gold, dressed dolls, and other reminders of the years when the little girl's birthday was such an exciting time. Nor were the flowers and good wishes forgotten. The sisters, the Mesdames William Massey, Thomas Dockery and John Dockery with Miss Elizabeth Speight assumed role of hostesses. Soon the cup of tea was brewed, and the good time everywhere. Those who gave this happy surprise to Mrs. Kendall were the Mesdames T. F. Bryan, J. N. Gallagher, Minnie Carroll King, M. C. H. Park, J. T. Strain, Edward Landhard, Walter, E. R. Nash.

MISS PETERSON FEATURED IN NEW YORK SOCIETY
The dailies of New York City have made much over an entertainment which took place at the Waldorf-Astoria within the past week. This was under the auspices of the Junior League and was termed the "City of Beautiful Nonsense." The Junior League includes present and last season debutantes, Miss Frederica Peterson being one of the latter. The

proceeds netted thousands of dollars. Representative society folk of exclusive New York were the patrons. A reel of moving picture, picturesquely depicting society life, members of the League, followed by supper dance, was the form of entertainment for three nights. The proceeds will all be applied to philanthropies which the League fosters. The New York Sun features Miss Peterson in photograph as one of the attractive performers, and gives special paragraph to the mention that she will take part in the Junior League entertainment. Miss Peterson's intimate connection with both family and friends, make these notes from her carry local interest. Further, why not some of Waco's young society girls, band for some purpose higher than just having a good time?

MISS IMOLA LINK HONOREE OF DINNER AND BRIDGE
It was quite the graceful bachelor courtesy that of Hugh Brewer, in honoring Miss Imola Link of Houston with a dinner party within his own home. This courtesy opened the week's successful gayety, a dinner for the early evening hour and the game of bridge later. Anticipating this dual pleasure, small tables surrounded the larger, which, with cloth removed, was ready for the game. The white of narcissus with the golden glow of the tapers and on each table a more elaborate piece of the center falling later to Miss Virginia Lazenby for leading in the bridge score. The same flower was on the place cards. Simple in description yet much admired in ensemble picture was this dinner. Seven courses made the menu. In enjoying this courtesy with Mr. Brewer and Miss Link, there were the Mesdames Mabel Chambers, Elizabeth Patton, Sallie Thompson, Eleanor Blair, Enrique Smith, Frances Van Bode

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THE NEED OF A Y. W. C. A.

Waco has always responded liberally to the appeals for membership and support in general when the Young Men's Christian association has gone out after these things, and we trust the present membership campaign will prove no exception. But while supporting the Young Men's Christian association it is well to bear in mind that there are young women in the city who need an organization for the promotion of their general welfare, just as the young men do, and we trust that before another year rolls around some definite move in that direction will have been made.

The subject was broached at the quarterly meeting of the City Federation of Mission societies the other day by Mrs. J. R. Milam, a member of the state board of the Y. W. C. A., and it is known that a number of public spirited people of the city have been contemplating some definite move in that direction for some time, all of them waiting until they felt the time was fully ripe to make an effort in that direction successful.

It is the function of the Young Women's Christian association to supplement the home, church, school, vocational and avocational life of the young women of the city, furnishing a home for the homeless, an opportunity for all who may need to do so to supplement their education, and providing for all who care to take advantage of the opportunity physical culture, social diversion and recreation under wholesome environments.

Waco has done well by its boys and young men. We believe the time has come when we should give the girls and young women the chance which a good Y. W. C. A. would afford.

There are doubtless a number of pensioners who are needing a portion of that \$276,000 sum collected from the breweries of the state as a result of the suit at Sulphur Springs last week, but the law requires that such fines shall go into the general fund and that the pensions shall be paid out of the proceeds of a special 5c tax levied for that purpose. We would like to see the pensioners paid off, but that must be done in a legal way.

We have been unable to bring ourselves to believe that part of the story about the latest crime wave in Chicago which declares that crooks have been imported in order to discredit the present city administration. We do not doubt the desire of the crooked politicians to discredit the reform movement, but with so many native crooks we see no occasion for the importing act.

Dispatches from Brenham announce that William G. McAdoo, as a young man in the early eighties, contemplated coming to that city to study law in the offices of his uncle, Judge J. D. McAdoo. And if he had Texas would have had a fourth member of the president's cabinet, to say nothing of what the present secretary of the treasury has missed all these years in not being able to consider himself a Texan.

Moving pictures will be used by democratic committee in President Wilson's next campaign, declares a news story. The president is employing a very pleasing moving picture now in having Mrs. Wilson escort him over the country in his special preparedness campaign.

According to the Dallas Evening Journal, Judge E. B. Muse of that city, a student of Shakespeare, claims to have discovered in "Love's Labor Lost" the longest word in the English language. It is honorificabilitudinitatibus. Its meaning is, the state of being loaded with honors.

TRAINING FOR FOREIGN TRADE.

"The greatest need in each and every line of business in the United States today is the need of trained men. This is especially true of foreign trade," declared Dr. Edward Ewing Pratt at New Orleans the other night, in an address before the foreign trade conference on the subject of educating men for foreign trade. Dr. Pratt is chief of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce and honorary vice president of the foreign trade conference. "I have canvassed the men at the head of many of our largest and most active business establishments," he said, "and they invariably reply that they cannot find trained men for foreign trade."

Dr. Pratt first called attention to the recognized lack of properly trained men in this country for carrying on our rapidly increasing trade with foreign countries. Then, having established the present necessity for such men, he took up in order the qualifications they should have. Resourcefulness, adaptability and diplomacy, he said, are even more important in foreign trade than at home, and they are largely qualities that are come by naturally, although proper training is not without its value. But there are four essentials in the equipment of a foreign trade specialist that can be acquired largely by training. They are, languages, principles of business, technical knowledge of foreign trade and a thorough knowledge of one's own business.

A knowledge of the language of the country in which a man is to travel and sell goods is of the first importance. "But," declared Dr. Pratt, "in a very few institutions is anything akin to commercial language taught. Seldom is the graduate able to express himself unambiguously in the language in which he has devoted so much time. The schools should do much better than they are doing. The aim in language study should be to talk the language."

"The study of language cannot begin too early, but training in the principles of business, in economics, in industrial organization, can scarcely be undertaken before college. A man must have reached a certain maturity of mind and have acquired a fairly wide personal experience before he can really comprehend the significance of such facts. It is in the college or in the school of commerce of college grade that real training in the bigger aspects of business can be given. The aim of this kind of educational work should be to provide a man with a knowledge of the economic bases of business life. It succeeds when it gives a man a solid foundation on which he can build a more specialized superstructure."

"So far as a technical knowledge of foreign trade is concerned, the colleges can do little. The school of commerce is in a rather better position. Every school of commerce should have a highly organized and specialized course looking toward foreign trade. Such a course should begin in the first year and continue to the finish. The actual details of foreign trade practice must be left largely to the individual employer. The manufacturer, exporter, or banker can train his men more effectively than any outsider."

"But," Dr. Pratt continued, "I believe that the training of the man on the job is the most important and is also the very best educational work. This is the kind of educational work which each employer can do in his own factory, in his own bank, or in his own office. It seems to me, therefore, that educational plans for your own employees fitted to meet your particular needs would be most helpful, both in giving a man the details which he needs in foreign trade and in fitting him with that definite knowledge of your business and of other processes of manufacture. This is essentially the difference between training generally and training specifically; the difference between training a man for a job and training a man in his job."

"I have emphasized the kind of men wanted for foreign trade," concluded Dr. Pratt, "and I have dealt at some length with the kind of training that ought to be given, but it rests with the employer ultimately to furnish incentive both to induce the right kind of men to go into foreign trade and to induce them to qualify themselves properly for the work. He must give adequate cash remuneration for services rendered and he must give hope of adequate promotion. Too often our manufacturers and exporters are tempted to pay in foreign trade the scale of salaries which obtain in foreign countries and too often they forget the man at the foreign post and allow the man who stayed at home to outstrip him. The right kind of men with the right kind of training can be induced to go into foreign trade only when there is an adequate reward both of money and promotion."

The prospect that Dallas county with her 27,546 poll tax receipts would be able to dominate the senatorial situation in Texas this year is dissipated by the fact that that city has four candidates for the nomination and at least two out of the other three candidates have a considerable following there.

PHILIPPINE INDEPENDENCE.

There is a natural disposition among thoughtful Americans to get rid of the Philippines. As long as we continue to exercise sole sovereignty over those islands we carry something around with us far more dangerous to national peace than the Monroe Doctrine, says the Baltimore Sun. We have put a chip on our shoulders which is worth very little to us as a possession, but which amounts to a defiance that might cost us many millions to make good. This feeling is probably back of the amendment to the Philippines bill, which is said to have the president's approval and which proposes independence for those islands within four years after the pending measure for larger self-government there becomes effective. That does not mean necessarily within four years from the present time, but it does materially reduce the period of probation originally proposed.

We suppose the president has studied every side of the questions involved, and we think there is little doubt that the great majority of Americans would have no violent objection to parting with the Philippines tomorrow. The average American feels very little interest in them and has no desire to get into a fight over them. But there is clearly a national obligation in the matter which we cannot ignore at the dictation of national pride. We adopted these dusky islanders in a moment of foolish idealism, perhaps, but we pledged our word to give them the training they needed and to protect them from other tyrannies such as they escaped when we freed them from Spain. Our national faith is pledged to that, and we should not evade or violate it.

If the Philippines are to be made independent so much sooner than the best students of the situation consider wise, it seems incumbent on us at least to provide for that independence some sort of international protectorate and guarantee that will enable them to work out their own salvation undisturbed by foreign aggression. If Great Britain and Japan would join us in establishing a protectorate of this kind, the objection to the apparently hasty action contemplated in the bill would have much less force.

According to a report of the director of the United States bureau of census, 29,248,326 miles of telephone line were in use in the United States during 1912. This represented an increase of 31.2 per cent during the decade. The estimated number of messages for the year was 12,735,658,245.

A Birmingham city commissioner wants to tax bachelors \$100 for the support of the city. It would be more nearly correct, we take it, to tax them that sum in order to enable the state of Alabama to pay the salaries of its female school teachers.

The Taylor Street Presbyterian church, U. S. A., and the First Presbyterian church, U. S., of Fort Worth, representing denominational divisions that have existed since the Civil war, voted Sunday to merge their congregations.

A machine has been made for detecting liars, says the Temple Telegram. We can detect them, all right, and what we are interested in finding is a machine by which we can deflect them when they start around to our office.

The total value of tires used in 1915 in the United States, including solid tires for trucks, tires for busses and taxicabs, amounts to \$250,000,000 in round numbers. To this sum should be added about 200,000 motorcycle tires, worth from \$5 to \$10 each.

The street lighting bills of the city of New York for 1915 will be \$400,000 less than for 1914. A goodly portion of the saving is said to have been effected by the use of nitrogen-filled tungsten lamps in place of the arc lamps.

Jupiter now has eight moons, but if you go home at night and tell your wife that you saw them she will be sure to want to know with whom you have been drinking, observes the New Orleans States.

Free textbooks will be furnished for the first four grades in the Dallas public schools hereafter, the tuition fees of those pupils who have to pay being appropriated to this purpose.

The four-masted schooner, Henry F. Kreiger, sailed from the river port of Orange, Texas, this week with a load of \$50,000 feet of lumber for Lisbon, Portugal.

If our friend, Dr. Block, has the correct dope on the weather today the ground hog will see his shadow and return to his subterranean abode for six weeks more.

"Poet's opportunities greater than ever," says Arthur Guiterman. And it is because there are so few real poets today?

Some of those congressmen who are so fond of pork should be assigned the task of capturing the ground hog when he appears today.

State Health Board to Seek Conference With Sec. McAdoo

Special to the Morning News.
Austin, Feb. 1.—The regular quarterly meeting of the state board of health has been called by State Health Officer Collins to be held at Fort Worth, February 8. Among the matters to be discussed will be that of the quarantine situation at Galveston, and it seems certain that the members of the board will seek a conference with Secretary of Treasury William McAdoo, who will be in Fort Worth at the time the board meets. It is expected that the board, should Secretary McAdoo grant the request for a conference, will thresh out the Galveston quarantine troubles with the hope of arriving at some co-operative plan between the federal and state quarantine authorities.

Governor Ferguson probably will be in attendance upon such a conference, as it is known that the governor desires a change in existing conditions in the Galveston quarantine situation and strongly favors the rescinding by Secretary McAdoo of rulings which recently were given federal authorities at Galveston.

McGregor Rainfall.
Special to the Morning News.
McGregor, Feb. 1.—The government gauge here registered a rainfall of 3.66 inches for the month of January. For the past week 1.38 inches fell here. The small grain crop here is slightly damaged as a result of the frosts. The ground is full of moisture and unless the rain holds on too long, a favorable season for farming is in sight.

Poll Tax Payments at McGregor.
Special to the Morning News.
McGregor, Feb. 1.—City Tax Collector McWilliams reports some increase in poll tax receipts paid here this year as compared with that of last year.

Harris County Voters 23,964.
By the Associated Press.
Houston, Feb. 1.—Harris county's voting strength this year is 23,964, including 2927 exemptions. This breaks the 1914 record of 19,739.

Drowned in Sabine River.
Orange, Feb. 1.—Will Cross, 67, was drowned and three other persons had narrow escapes when a small launch capsized in Sabine river this morning.

Tarrant County Voters 21,571.
By the Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Feb. 1.—Final poll tax returns for Tarrant county show 21,571. This includes exemptions.

H. & T. C. Train Derailed.
By the Associated Press.
Austin, Feb. 1.—No one was injured in the derailment of the Houston & Texas Central train No. 45, about two miles east of Paige this morning when the trucks of the engine left the track, derailling every car in the train except the sleeper, but leaving them all upended. The train was running about twenty-five miles an hour at the time of the wreck, according to the company's announcement. No cause is assigned for the derailment and officials of this division have gone to the scene of the wreck to make an investigation.

Red River is Falling.
By the Associated Press.
Texarkana, Feb. 1.—The Red river is falling today and farmers are less fearful than for the past three days. Normal conditions are expected by Thursday.

Gainesville Girl Dies From Dog Bite.
By the Associated Press.
Gainesville, Feb. 1.—Alta, the seven-year-old daughter of D. Rushing, a farmer living here, who was bitten by her pet puppy last Wednesday, was stricken yesterday with rabies and died several hours later.

Cattle Suffering From Cold.
By the Associated Press.
San Angelo, Feb. 1.—Range cattle and sheep are suffering from the extreme cold. Temperatures of sixteen above zero were registered here this morning.

Fatal Shooting at Galveston.
By the Associated Press.
Galveston, Feb. 1.—George A. McLarty, secretary of the maritime committee of the Galveston Cotton Exchange and Board of Trade, was killed and Robert G. Shaw, an inspector in the employ of the committee, was wounded when McLarty was shot during a shooting affair. The secretary's office shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon.

There were no eye-witnesses to the shooting and it has not yet been learned who fired the first shot. A rifle of 30-30 caliber was found lying between the two men, both of whom had been shot through the body. Three shots had been fired.

McLarty had been secretary of the maritime committee for only a few months.

Penalties Running on Corporations.
By the Associated Press.
Austin, Feb. 1.—Penalties amounting to \$19 per day are being assessed against all foreign and domestic corporations that have failed to file their annual statements in the secretary of state's department for the year of 1915. Today was the last day in which such corporations had to file their statements. Secretary of State McKay said today, however, that there were comparatively few delinquents, that the corporations have responded better this year than at any time previous and that franchise tax payments have been greater than ever in the history of the department. All corporations now have until May 1 in which to pay their franchise taxes without incurring a penalty.

Texas Railroad Mileage 15,755 Miles.
By the Associated Press.
Austin, Feb. 1.—Total railroad mileage in Texas is 15,755 and the average value is \$26,304 per mile, according to the railroad commission's report. The commission has valued 14,872 miles of new railroad, making a total of 14,972 miles valued. Additions and betterments made since original valuation of the lines is given at \$97,464,053.

Twelve Thousand Accidents.
By the Associated Press.
Austin, Feb. 1.—Since the beginning of the present fiscal year in September, 12,689 accidents have been reported to the industrial accident board under the provisions of the employers' liability act. The largest number of accidents was reported for January, with 3144. Fatalities in the five months of the present fiscal year have totaled forty-seven, with seventeen in September and thirteen in January. Claims filed with the board have totaled 6590 and compensation paid out under those claims in five months has been \$161,058.44. Medical expenses have totaled \$41,253.50 and total expenditures have totaled \$198,312.34 during the five months.

Negro Hanged at Houston.
By the Associated Press.
Houston, Feb. 1.—Louis Wiley, negro, first of four persons under sentence of death in Harris county, was hanged today for the murder of W.

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Clint Harless, constable at Spring, this county, last April, 11, went to his death after a brief good-bye and a broad smile the instant the trap was sprung.

Others under sentence of death are Frank D. Mikesco, white; Henry Sorenson and Henry Tenney, negroes, the first two for murder, the second for criminal assault.

Bexar County Voters 20,348.
By the Associated Press.
San Antonio, Feb. 1.—Unofficial poll tax returns: City paid polls, 14,774; exemptions, 2711. Total city vote, 17,485. Outside city: Paid polls, 2781; exemptions, 82. Total city and county, 20,348.

Brazos County Voters 2231.
Special to the Morning News.
Bryan, Feb. 1.—The total voting strength of Brazos county, which includes both paid and exempted poll tax receipts, is 2231, an increase over last year of 260.

Mart Schools Finish Examinations.
Special to the Morning News.
Mart, Feb. 1.—The Mart public schools have just finished their mid-term examinations and started on the new quarter's work. The attendance has been fine despite the bad weather and sickness, and the schools are very crowded. Active work is being taken by the officers on the work of the annual, The Klimalax. This will be the second edition and every effort will be put forth to make this year's annual even better than last year's. The athletics are receiving their attention as both the boys' and girls' basketball teams are practicing for games in the near future. The girls' team has been undefeated so far.

Eddy to Have Street Lights.
Special to the Morning News.
Eddy, Feb. 1.—At a meeting of the city council held at the bank building Monday afternoon it was decided to install street lights, the city to make a contract with the Texas Power & Light company. It is understood that the installing of the lights will be commenced in a few days.

G. H. & S. A. Train Derailed.
By the Associated Press.
El Paso, Feb. 1.—Passenger train No. 101 of the Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio railway was derailed last night forty miles east of El Paso, resulting in injuries to two, Claude Graham, conductor, who may have suffered internal injuries, and Miss Fannie Herr, daughter of Lieutenant John Herr, U. S. A. Her injuries are said not to be serious. The mail and baggage cars turned over and the others left the track.

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The evidence says she did.
The jury is convinced.
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THE WACO MORNING NEWS

Many Middies Fail to Pass Examination

By the Associated Press.
Annapolis, Md., Feb. 1.—It was understood on reliable authority here today that 220 midshipmen, or about one-fourth of the entire membership at the naval academy, will be asked to resign soon because of their failure to pass the half-yearly examinations. Many midshipmen claim the examinations were much more difficult than usual, but this is denied by the instructors.

The number of failures in each class is said to be as follows: First, or graduating class, twenty; second, sixty; third, sixty; fourth, eighty.

One explanation of the large number of failures is that instructors have been forbidden to indicate in any way to the midshipmen the character of the examination. The court of inquiry which investigated the scholastic methods of the academy, recommended abolishing of the "dope" system, as it was called, and an order forbidding the use of any kind of special help followed. Many midshipmen claim the average youth needs these to pass the examination. Others claim the midshipmen felt that on account of

the special need of officers they would be treated more leniently than usual.

Time Limit Fixed on Frisco Briefs.
By the Associated Press.
Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 1.—All briefs on the petitions for a rehearing of the re-organization plan of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad must be filed with the Missouri public service commission by February 15, it was announced today. The commission has partially approved the plan and in part rejected it.

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Red Cross Chapter Organized in Waco

Following an address by S. Poulter Morris of Denver, Colo., director of the mountain division of the American Red Cross, the Waco chapter of the Red Cross was organized and officers elected yesterday afternoon at a meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms in the Amicable building. A splendid representative body from the various Waco clubs and organizations were present.

W. W. Seely was elected chairman of the chapter with Dr. Carl Lovelace, vice chairman. Capt. P. A. Weathered was elected secretary; Rev. Dr. I. Warsaw, treasurer, and the members of the board of directors are: Mrs. E. M. Dolsen, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs; Rev. Dr. Frank P. Culver, pastor of the Austin Avenue Methodist church; Rev. W. P. Witsell, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church; Mrs. J. R. Downs, chairman of Red Cross Christmas stamp sales; W. W. Naman, president of the Young Men's Business League; Harry M. Baine of the Waco Morning News, president of the Chamber of Commerce; C. L. Johnson, president of the United Charities; Dr. Doyle L. Eastland, president of the McLennan County Medical Society, and Judge

William Sleeper, chairman of the waterworks commission. Officers of the chapter are also included in the board of directors. The first board meeting was set for Thursday night, February 10, at the State House hotel, at 7:30 o'clock. At this time committees will be appointed to arrange the work of the chapter. A general outline of proposed plans will be made out. One of the principal matters which will come up will be determining where the supplies will be manufactured. These supplies will be kept on hand to assist in such work as the American Red Cross is noted for.

Telling in a brief way a few of the numerous accomplishments of the American Red Cross, Mr. Morris then addressed the group. He told of the national relief work and stated that the Red Cross, aside from the great European conflict, had to deal with earthquakes, fires, storms and other such disasters. He mentioned how the Red Cross had aided China in their plans of caring for the flood waters, which launched a movement which would cost approximately \$14,000,000. China is waiting for the end of the war to carry out the plans.

Thousands of appeals to care for the European war and the dying when the European struggle started were received by the Red Cross, according to Mr. Morris. He told of Americans who responded readily, knowing that they would probably never return but were ready to give their lives in order to better the terrible conditions existing among the wounded. More nurses and surgeons were sent over and conditions improved which lessened the danger of the Red Cross workers.

Preparedness Opens Up Field.

"It is in view of the proposed preparedness campaign in the United States that caused the Red Cross to start early in December, to make arrangements whereby the United States would also be prepared from a surgical standpoint," stated Mr. Morris. "There is a great crisis facing the various nations or President Wilson would not have left the capitol while Congress was in session to explain to the people of the United States why they should be prepared. We know not what a day may bring forth."

Mr. Morris told of the advantages of being able to care for the wounded when a great disaster was at hand. He paid high tribute to the Americans who contribute to the cause and showed that such contributions brought mammoth results. He stated that local chapters would be organized throughout the United States to perfect the plans of putting the nation in a state of surgical preparedness. Dallas and El Paso were the only Texas cities having a chapter until Mr. Morris arrived in this state. He recently organized a chapter in Fort Worth. He left last night for Austin, after which he will visit Houston, San Antonio and a few smaller cities and then enter New Mexico.

Those present at the meeting yesterday were enthusiastic over the national surgical and medical preparedness plans. Compliments were paid the American Red Cross and the organization will no doubt have a live chapter in this city. Memberships to the local chapter were opened after the meeting yesterday.

To the Democratic Voters. George W. Cole earnestly solicits your consideration of his candidacy for the office of City Recorder, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary February 15, and invites a careful investigation of his record as an attorney, a citizen, a democrat and as a man who will enforce the law and administer justice to all without fear or favor.—Adv.

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PERSONAL MENTION

J. F. Sullivan, traveling passenger agent for the Sunset-Central line, with headquarters at Houston, was here yesterday.

Andrew Kingkade of the Kingkade hotel of Oklahoma City is in the city.

L. O. Clark of Dallas is registered at the Raleigh.

R. C. Thompson, a druggist from Axtell, was in Waco yesterday morning.

J. R. Davidson of Dallas is here on business.

H. H. Miller of Sulphur Springs spent the night here.

I. H. Stron of Corpus Christi is in Waco in interest of business.

L. A. Johnson, proprietor of a merchandise store at Elk, was here yesterday morning.

H. B. Lyn of Fort Worth is a business visitor here.

R. Q. Travers of Mart is stopping at the Raleigh.

Mr. Jackson of the Pace-Marshall Drug company of Cameron was here yesterday afternoon.

R. J. Brown of Gatesville is here on business matters.

J. B. Frawley, district passenger agent of the Union Pacific railroad of Kansas City, spent yesterday here.

R. E. Finley, merchant from Aquilla, was here yesterday morning.

R. C. Carpenter and G. W. Bush of

Dallas are registered at the Hotel Waco.

J. E. Peters of Cleburne is here in interest of business.

Charles Evans, Lorena merchant, spent yesterday in Waco.

J. S. Vance of Fort Worth is in this city on business.

Jay Spivey of Aquilla, merchant, was here yesterday afternoon.

W. M. Swift of Fort Worth is in the city on business.

I. R. Boone of Oglesby is registered at the Metropole.

Mike Sewell of McGregor spent yesterday in Waco. He is proprietor of a merchandise store at McGregor.

Dr. W. G. Ince of Elk is here on business.

J. R. Hunter of Wichita Falls is stopping at the State House.

Lewis Cox and J. B. Warren of Belton are stopping in Waco.

Gale de Graffenreid of Chilton, a merchant, was here yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ferguson of Hearne are visiting here. Mr. Ferguson is a popular banker at Hearne.

T. D. Dawkins of Austin, postoffice inspector for this district, is in the city.

J. F. Sullivan, traveling passenger agent of the Sunset-Central lines, was in the city yesterday from his headquarters at Houston.

Sap was on trial. When it came time for court to open the room was of the frigid zone in temperature. The jurors shivered, the witnesses and attorneys shivered and the court shivered.

"The jury is excused until tomorrow morning," said Judge Clark. "This room is entirely too cold to hold court in."

WACO MAN GETS HIGH APPOINTMENT IN NAVY LEAGUE

Ripley A. Hanrick has received official notification of his appointment as one of the members of the membership committee of the Navy League of the United States. His duties will be to represent this organization in this district in the active campaign which is being carried on throughout the country in behalf of national preparedness. So far as could be learned, Mr. Hanrick is the only committeeman appointed in Texas and the honor is a recognition of the qualities and worth of Mr. Hanrick.

The league is composed of a body of civilians for the purpose of making a thorough study of the preparedness question and every citizen of good standing is eligible for membership. The work of the league is being assisted in the study of an official magazine called "The Seven Seas" and takes up the discussion of every phase of the subject. The members of the league are noticeable on account of button which is to be worn on the coat. Other features of the work of the league will be a series of lectures on national preparedness. These lectures will make a tour of the whole country delivering addresses on some phase of the question.

Clarence Ousley of A. & M. college is a director of the league. Col. Robert M. Thompson and Henry B. Joy, noted automobile manufacturer, both of New York, are president and vice president, respectively, of the league. The league has no official standing in national life, but is recognized as a very useful auxiliary in the preparedness program. Members of the national family of military affairs are members of the league and are officers ex-officio of the league.

Lack of heat in the Seventy-fourth district court room yesterday morning caused Judge Erwin J. Clark to adjourn court until this morning. The damage suit of Eliza Evans vs. the

Y. M. B. L. TAKES UP SPRING STYLE SHOW

COMMITTEE OF MERCHANTS ASK CO-OPERATION OF DIRECTORS JUNIOR ORGANIZATION.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NAMED

President Naman Reports White Way Plans Far Advanced—Will Aid in Civic Improvement Contest.

Asking the Young Men's Business League to take an active part in the plans and arrangements for the spring style show for Waco, A. C. Patton, representing local merchants, made a short talk last night before the directors of the league at the regular weekly meeting. T. W. Miller, chairman of the committee of local merchants who started the movement for the show, was called to Dallas on business and was unable to attend the meeting last night.

According to Mr. Patton, a meeting of local merchants was held recently at the State House when first steps toward having the spring style show were taken. Success of the show of this kind held last fall has caused the merchants to be somewhat enthused over the proposed plans for the spring event, since it is being arranged on a much larger scale.

While the definite date is not known, the show will be held between March 1 and 15, and most likely the week beginning March 6. Neither is it known how long the show will last, but it most probably will be four days. A committee composed of J. W. Carlin, T. W. Miller, E. A. Miller, W. V. Crawford and R. E. L. Montgomery was appointed to work in co-operation with the merchants and to outline more definitely certain features. Railroads entering this city will be asked to give reduced rates and some special attraction will be given in the city every night during the show. A committee consisting of local merchants have canvassed the town in raising funds to defray the expenses of the show and report very good results.

Report Poll Tax Campaign.

Announcement was made that the City Federation of Women's clubs had entered a state contest for the purpose of determining which Texas city has made the most progress toward public civic improvements, such as parks and playgrounds. The contest is being conducted by the home economics department of State University and several cash prizes will be awarded the winners. Each club that enters must send photographs of the parks or playgrounds, as they were before improvements were made and as they are at the present time. While it will be no trouble to obtain photographs of the present improvements, the federation has found it hard to obtain pictures taken before the improvement. Pictures of Proctor Springs (Cameron park) before improvements were made are especially wanted. The directors were asked to help locate such photographs.

Following a report of William T. Wheeler, chairman of the poll tax campaign committee, in which statement was made that 12,445 poll taxes were paid, which broke all previous records, and was 25 per cent higher than the census of 1910 showed, the board of directors extended a vote of thanks to this committee. Reuben W. Wheeler, the committee is composed of William L. Edmond and W. H. Hoffmann. According to the report, the entire poll tax campaign was conducted without spending any of the league's money.

White Way This Spring. That Waco will have a white way which will probably be installed in the early spring, was announced by President Naman, who said that the matter was being handled over until conference could be held with the city commission to determine who will stand the upkeep of the white way when it is put into operation.

It was reported by Joseph Crow, chairman of the publicity committee, that the electric sign at Fourth and Austin streets, which reads, "Welcome to Waco," should be fixed, as the first few letters do not burn. It was decided to have an investigation made by the publicity committee to decide what steps should be taken to repair the sign.

William L. Edmond, chairman of the home industry committee, announced that the league had been asked to endorse a proposition of having motion pictures taken of the manufacturing plants in this city and have them shown at a public exhibition. This was held over until further investigation.

A committee consisting of P. A. Weathered, R. E. L. Montgomery, W. V. Crawford, R. B. Dupree and E. C. Blomeyer was appointed to investigate buying several hundred chairs for the Young Men's Business League. At public occasions heretofore the league has rented chairs, but a motion was made and passed last night for the league to make such purchases which would eliminate their renting chairs.

Defer Lock and Dam Celebration. A letter was read by the Auditorium committee which stated that letters had been prepared by the management of the Auditorium building, which would boost the coming attractions. These letters will be sent out to nearby towns by the Waco merchants.

T. H. Williams and H. O. Bishop were put on the slogan committee of which E. C. Blomeyer is chairman, and instructed to report at the next directors' meeting what slogan they thought advisable for the league to adopt.

No further steps toward the celebration of the completion of the lock and dam will not be completed for almost two months. Mr. Weathered reported that the committee appointed by the league to confer with the local shoemen in regard to the Texas annual shoemen's convention, which will be held in this city February 8 and 9, held a meeting Sunday at the Raleigh hotel and it was decided to give the banquet to the delegates on the opening day of the convention.

The entertainment for the regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Business League, which will be held next Tuesday night, was referred to the entertainment committee, J. J. Cook of Corpus Christi, who recently moved here, was a guest at the directors' meeting last night.

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CITY NEWS BRIEFS

Louis Richardson, brought back to Waco from Washington county by Deputy Sheriff Lee Jenkins, pleaded guilty in the county court yesterday to theft of a set of harness and was fined \$1 and given an hour in jail.

Motion picture operators stood an annual examination before the board of public safety yesterday morning. The yearly examination is held that the operators may hold their licenses. Seventeen applicants took the examination.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Clark died at an early hour yesterday morning at the family residence, 1410 Gurley street. The little boy was only ten months old. The body will be taken to Cogo overland, where interment will be made today.

Western Union deferred cable service will again be resumed by that company, according to advices received by the manager of the local branch. The deferred service was annulled recently on account of storm trouble, but this has now been repaired to allow capacity service.

The damage case of W. J. Taylor vs. the I. & G. N. railway, for the alleged killing of a horse, is on trial in the county court. The case was expected to go to the jury yesterday. A judgment of \$248.70 was brought in for the plaintiff by the jury in the case of Wm. Cameron & Co. vs. Ockander Bros.

Marriage licenses issued in January numbered 83, automobile licenses 56 and motorcycle licenses 3, according to the records of County Clerk John W. Baker.

The Nineteenth district court jury is out in the case of M. E. Jones vs. the I. & G. N. railway, a suit for damages.

The damage suit of Christoval Manicus and Sylvester Manicus against the I. & G. N. railway for \$47,500 was re-filed yesterday in the Seventy-fourth district court. Sylvester Manicus, one of the defendants, is a young lad who lost both legs in an accident at Mart. The case went to trial a few weeks ago, but a non suit was taken at that time.

First street cemetery, the oldest burial ground in the city, is again in first class condition and all the brush and undergrowth has been cleared away as a result of utilizing the services of the city prisoners. The prisoners have been at work on the task for over a month and as the grounds have been allowed to become run down and were in an unkept condition as a

result of these growths. The mounds have also been re-formed and the larger trees re-trimmed, making a very pleasant spot of the old historic grounds. There are over thirty acres in the cemetery and many of the old pioneers of the city and county are buried there.

A Sure Way to End Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid ammonia from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most if not all of your dandruff will be gone and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, silky and soft, and feel a hundred times better.

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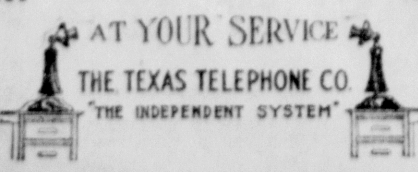
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MAYOR E. W. BOUNDS EXPECTED
TO ANNOUNCE CANDIDACY
IN FEW DAYS.Twenty-nine Births Reported for Falls
County in the Month of
January.Special to the Morning News.
Marlin, Feb. 1.—Not only will Marlin be known this year as furnishing one of the candidates for congress in the person of Tom Connally, but according to political talk about the mayor's office, Mayor E. W. Bounds will announce in a few days for the position of attorney general of the state.

He states he has been holding back on account of the expected announcement of a friend of his for this office, but that he has received word from friends at Hillsboro that his friend will not run, and urging him to throw his hat in. Judge T. S. Johnson of Austin, a former close friend of Mayor Bounds in Hillsboro, was in Marlin today talking politics with Mayor Bounds.

Twenty-nine Births in Falls.

Special to the Morning News.

Marlin, Feb. 1.—During the month of January, 29 births were filed with County Clerk W. T. Goodale for 11 of which were reported from and near Lott, 6 from Chilton, 5 from Marlin, 2 from Westphalia and 2 from Mooreville, and one each from Perry, Stranger, east of Marlin and Denny.

More Interest in Pig Clubs.

Special to the Morning News.

Marlin, Feb. 1.—County Agricultural Agent N. C. Chaney today received a letter from W. C. Tisdale of Eddy, stating that he would contribute \$5 to a fund to be awarded the member of the boys' pig clubs of Falls county who secured the best results from a Poland-China pig this year, and that he believed he could get enough others interested in his community to make the prize up to \$25. Mr. Chaney states the interest in pig clubs in Falls county is growing rapidly.

Wacoans at Marlin Hotels.

Special to the Morning News.

Marlin, Feb. 1.—The following Waco people are registered at the local hotels: C. W. Payne, A. E. Baker, W. T. McIlroy, J. M. Bass, J. M. Penland, Tom H. Norvell, Will Carroll, W. H. Rogers, L. L. Beale and Walton D. Taylor.

Suffrage Address at Marlin.

Special to the Morning News.

Marlin, Feb. 1.—Marlin people today heard the first suffrage lecture ever delivered in this city, when Mrs. M. F. Cunningham, president of the Texas Woman's Suffrage association, and Miss Elizabeth Freeman of New York entertained a good sized audience in the auditorium of the Marlin high school at 4:15 in the afternoon. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Reading circle of the high school.

Western Oil Land Men Win Case in Cheyenne Court

By the Associated Press.
Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 1.—The federal government is without right to oust from oil lands concerns operating prior to President Taft's withdrawal order of Sept. 27, 1909, although such companies at such times had not delivered oil, according to a decision today by Judge J. A. Riner, in the federal district court for Wyoming.

The decision was rendered in the case of the United States against the Ohio Oil company and the Grass Creek Oil and Gas company. According to attorneys, the principle involved affects oil lands in Wyoming and California valued at millions of dollars.

The government sought to oust the companies in the present suits on the ground that they had not discovered oil prior to the president's withdrawal order and therefore had no valid claim under the federal mineral land laws. "The government also sought to recover damages for oil removed and to obtain a perpetual order restraining the companies from further operation."

Millions Involved.
By the Associated Press.
San Francisco, Feb. 1.—Oil lands in California valued at \$30,000,000 and 220 suits filed in preparation by the government are involved in today's decision at Cheyenne. Oil men here said it would make unnecessary any remedial legislation in congress.Fire Drill Saves
All Threatened in
Kansas City FireBy the Associated Press.
Kansas City, Feb. 1.—Fire that broke out today on the second floor of the Western Union Telegraph company's building here endangered the lives of 350 employees at work in the operating room, fifty of whom were carried down fire escapes to safety.

At 2:10 o'clock the blaze was under control and all employees had been accounted for as safe.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Almost all the 350 employees, including fifty girls, were forced to descend the fire escapes. Officials of the company said only the constant practice of a fire drill prevented loss of life. On last night the workers had gone through this drill.

Ninety-nine Per Cent
of Americans Need
Military TrainingBy the Associated Press.
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1.—Ninety-nine per cent of the population of the United States are deformed or physically disproporportioned, according to authorities of the International Custom Cutters association, who are attending the thirty-sixth annual convention which opened here today. The tailors have made a study of the men who come to them to be fitted and assert that there are many defects.

"If the tailors of the United States were to go on record in a body they all undoubtedly would favor military training for the youth of the nation," declared Farr L. Scott of Toledo, president of the association. "It does not make any difference what they use, a broomstick or a gun, but only a drill will give them a good carriage. And that is what the tailor is looking for."

DILLON KNOCKS OUT TOM COWLER
By the Associated Press.
New York, Feb. 1.—Jack Dillon of Indianapolis knocked out Tom Cowler of England in the second round of their ten-round match in Brooklyn tonight. Dillon weighed in at 170 pounds and Cowler at 205.

At The Hippodrome.



MARK HORN, THE NEW LEADER OF WALL STREET, AND WAYNE MADISON, REPRESENTING THE OLD KNICKERBOCKER ARISTOCRACY, MEET—HORN AS THE MASTER AND MADISON AS THE SUPPLIANT—SCENE FROM "THE CONQUEROR," NEW TRIANGLE-KAY BEE PLAY, SHOWING J. BARNEY SHERRY (LEFT) AND WILLARD MACK (RIGHT).

At the Hippodrome today and tomorrow.

THEATRES

HIPPODROME.

"The Conqueror."

The picture public is already familiar with the splendid and distinctive work of Willard Mack on the screen, but no play in which he has appeared illustrates his quiet power quite so well as the Kay-Bee, "The Conqueror," showing at the Hippodrome today. The action throughout is very slow and deliberate, in perfect keeping with the story and the status of the characters, and at the same time it is tense and enthralling to a degree. It is in the role of Mark Horn, the "Wolf of Wall Street," that Mr. Mack appears, as a boy he passionately represented the charity bestowed on him and his mother by society women who made a fad of "slumming"; as the

The adjusting of things gives the play its distinctive mark of difference. Willard Mack with beautiful Enid Markey and an excellent Kay-Bee cast will play in "The Conqueror" at the Hippodrome today and tomorrow.

CRYSTAL TODAY.

Cleo Madison in "A Soul Enslaved," Five-Reel Broadway Universal Feature.

Lovers of motion picture acting will marvel at the splendor of the production and the finished acting of Cleo Madison, the star, and her supporting cast in the great Broadway Universal feature, "A Soul Enslaved," which is dramatized from Olga Printzlau's famous novel, "Adele Farrington," and which is showing at the Crystal to-



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day laborer his resentment against the rich as a class was avowed more pronounced and when on an unlucky day for him he was reduced to the necessity of taking his place in a bread line, he swore that some day he would make the rich and the aristocrats bow their heads to him. With this one purpose in life, the newsboy gradually but surely rose to a place of infinite power in Wall street, where he controlled many of the fortunes of the rich.

Invited to the homes of the aristocrats merely because they feared not to invite him, he took every opportunity to deliberately insult them, their wives and their daughters. Thus it was that when invited to the home of the Madisons, he fastened his attentions on the younger daughter, yet incurred her anger through an insult to her hospitality. Later he asked her to wed him and after girl's indignant refusal, turned his power in the market against her father. This and the pressure of her sister and mother persuaded the girl to change her mind and send for him; again he deliberately insulted her. "I know you would marry me," he said. "Your kind always do." Here things take a sudden turn, for Viva Madison had spirit.

Richard Newton and Paul Kent, college chums, are a bit wild, and Richard has an affair with a well-known

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Jane, child of sorrow, lived in a hovel with mother, a wretched, slatternly woman, who spends most of her time recovering from periodic drunks. The child, kicked and cuffed about, leaves home after a particularly brutal scene with her mother and seeks refuge in a neighboring town and on being questioned about her home, pretends ignorance, fearing that she will be returned to the hated place. Jane finds her new home little better than the other, as she is made a slave in the house and treated harshly by the woman in charge. Jane's mother, having a bit too much to drink, makes a perfumery search and then congratulates herself on the riddance of the child, whom she did not want in the first place.

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and popular girl of the smart set. After a night with the girl they arrive at her home at daylight. Nellie, the girl, is hysterically frightened lest she be discovered, but luckily manages to sneak into the house undiscovered. When vacation time comes the boys prepare to leave for home and Nellie, worrying over her condition, begs Richard to take her with him, but he puts her off, promising to return for her. The only word she hears of him is a letter telling her he is going abroad and enclosing her a sum of money. Next day Nellie is found a suicide, floating in a nearby lake with a roll of money clasped in her hands. The papers print the sad news and Richard learns of it in this way.

Ten years elapse and Nellie has grown up, kicked and cuffed about by every one. One day while she is chatting with the foreman the owner comes in and takes quite a fancy to her. He orders her to work in his private office and shows her how to operate the typewriter. Jane had expected to be fired and the new change is wonderful to the girl. Ambrose has a beautiful little apartment furnished for the girl and gives her everything her heart could wish. Ambrose, proud of his new toy, invites a friend from the club to visit him, and so Paul Kent is introduced to the girl. Although Ambrose gives the girl everything more interesting to her, he becomes infatuated with her and finally persuades her to leave. Kent has promised to marry the girl and as time passes she begins to fear the consequences of her rashness. She finally asks him straight out when he is going to marry her, but he still puts her off and settles a large sum of money upon her to ease her disappointment. Jane hates the life she is living, but when her thoughts turn back to the condition of her early years, she stifles her conscience and resolves to go on with the farce. One day, while driving, her car frightens a horse and his rider is thrown. The rider is Richard Newton, and Jane has him put in the car and rushes to the hospital with him. The man in his helplessness makes a strong impression on her and after seeing him cared for she returns home. She manifests interest in his condition, she calls on every occasion and finally Richard, feigning sleep, discovers she is in love with him. He begs her to come to him often and she promises, but realizes she is in a tight place. She decides to get away from her life and start again. She sells all and gives the money to the Sisters' Orphan Asylum, thus hoping to atone for her wrong. Richard overcomes her resistance and they marry. Their life is very happy, but Jane, always in fear of being discovered, stays very close to home. A baby girl comes and it seems that her happiness is complete. Richard one day insists that she accompany him to a large reception, telling her that it is essential for business reasons that she go and get acquainted. In spite of her premonition of evil, she goes and her fears are realized, for she meets Ambrose, and he denounces her. When Richard returns to her side she pleads illness and he takes her home. Jane is in terror of Richard finding out her past life and becomes really sick.

Sisters of an orphan asylum. She can tell nothing of herself. The maid, thinking to take Richard's mind away from his troubles, brings the baby in, but is frightened at his actions when he angrily orders the kid out, throws her some money and tells her to take it to some asylum. She takes baby to the Sisters' asylum and there finds Jane. Her reason returns when she sees the baby and sobbing bitterly, she takes the child.

Richard, left alone, is bitterly condemning Jane, when a vision of Nellie comes to him, and he suddenly realizes he is as much a sinner as she is and decides to secure the baby. He hurries to the asylum and finds both Jane and the baby and advances to meet her with open arms. She realizes he wants her and goes with him. Happily they now leave with the blessing of the Sisters following them.

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(Reported by the McLennan County Abstract Company.)

Sarnie Randle et ux to Arthur and Ella Blevins, lots 3 and 4, block 6, Baylor addition,\$180.00

Sarnie A. Randle et ux to Mary Johnson and Arthur Blevins, lot 24, block 7, Lincoln Park addition,\$5.00

J. O. Beckley to C. C. Beckley, part of Tractor Springs, Fifth street and Brook avenue; also part of James Bennett's S. W. corner of Fifth street and Brook avenue addition,1,000.00

T. V. Lyde et ux to Mrs. Jennie Johnson, part of farm lot 20, at 1010 Washington street,10,000.00

S. L. Everett et ux to T. E. Poole, lot 30, block 10, Riverside addition,1,500.00

T. R. Poole et ux to J. M. Booth, lot 1, block 20, Riverside addition,900.00

Lee Torrence and E. T. Walker to E. J. Vance & Co., lot 1, Princess Place addition,50.00

George W. Witt to Sam B. Rose, lots 23 and 30, block 8, Lincoln Park addition,470.00

Ed Trent et ux to J. M. Booth, lot 28, block 1, Bagby addition,2,500.00

Ed Trent et ux to J. M. Booth, lot 27, block 1, Bagby addition,3,000.00

Ed Trent et ux to J. M. Booth, lot 9, block 13, Bagby addition,2,000.00

Ed Trent et ux to J. M. Booth, lot 10, block 13, Bagby addition,750.00

Total\$22,415.00

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How to Shed a Rough, Chapped or Blotchy Skin

This is what you should do to shed a bad complexion: Spread evenly over the face, covering every inch of skin, a thin layer of ordinary mercolized wax. Let this stay on half of lot 4, block 1, if next morning. Repeat daily until your complexion is as clear, soft and beautiful as a young girl's. This result is inevitable, no matter how soiled or withered the complexion. The wax literally absorbs the filthy surface skin, exposing the lovely young skin beneath. The process is entirely harmless, so little of the old skin coming off at a time. Mercolized wax is obtainable at any drug store; one ounce usually suffices. It's a veritable wonder-worker for rough, chapped, reddened, blotchy, pimply, freckled or sallow skin. Pure, powdered saxolite is excellent for a wrinkled skin. An ounce of it dissolved in a half-pint of witch hazel makes a refreshing wash-lotion. This renders the skin quite firm and smooth indeed, the very first application erases the finer lines; the deeper ones soon follow.

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They say these wily imps
More winter in the forecast show
If they shadows glimpse.

And if reflections of their form
They see in outline plain,
They'll scamper back, in nests to warm,
And snooze awhile again.

But if no shadows they behold,
They'll venture forth to stay;
That spring is near, they learn, I'm told,
From scenting breath of May.

Pray that the ground-hog of thy heart
Its shadow surely misses,
And that Love's Springtime will impart
Prompt signs of Summer's kisses.
—J. S. C.

Waco, Texas, Feb. 1, 1916.

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Hoffmann Again Directs Cotton Palace Destinies; Mayfield Is Secretary

Forrest E. Goodman Succeeds John F. Wright as Vice President; Miguel Re-elected Treasurer—Commissioner Plan May Be Discarded by Board for Present Year—Improvements Discussed.

W. H. Hoffmann was elected president of the Texas Cotton Palace association at the meeting of the directors held last night in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. Mr. Hoffmann's election was by a rising vote after his nomination by W. V. Crawford. Mr. Hoffmann was escorted to the chair by



W. H. HOFFMANN

Elected president of the Cotton Palace by the directors last night. Mr. Hoffmann succeeds Asher Sanger, and returns to the position held by him two years ago.

Hoffmann returns to the position held by him in 1912 and 1913. Other officers elected last night were Forrest E. Goodman, vice president; Seth N. Mayfield, secretary; L. Miguel, treasurer.

Mr. Miguel has held the office of treasurer of the association since its organization, his re-election each year coming as a matter of course, and constituting a tribute to his efficiency. Secretary Mayfield has held his position since the close of the first year of the exposition.



SETH N. MAYFIELD

Re-elected general secretary of the Cotton Palace, a position he has held since the close of the first year of the exposition.



JOHN F. WRIGHT

Retiring vice president of the Cotton Palace association.

W. V. Crawford and John F. Wright, named for the duty by Retiring President Sanger. Turning over the administration, Mr. Sanger said that all he asked in behalf of his successor was the same brand of support from the directors that had characterized his administration.

Mr. Hoffmann responded to demands with a short speech, in which he stated that realizing the necessity for immediate election of a president in order that the interests of the Cotton Palace

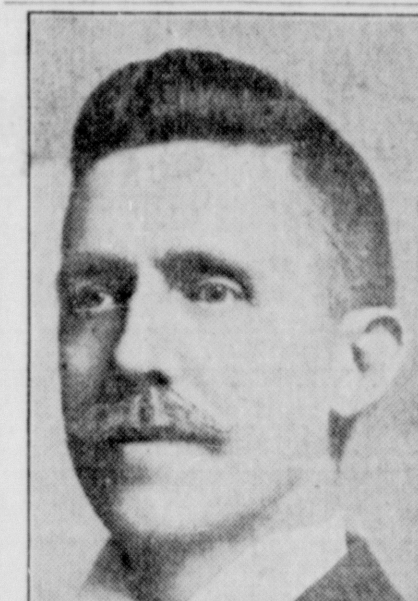


ASHER SANGER

Retiring president of the Cotton Palace. Press of business prevented Mr. Sanger from accepting re-election.

might not suffer, he would consent to serve, with the provision that should private affairs make it undesirable for him to continue in the office he would be relieved. President Hoffmann presided during the election of the remainder of the officers.

Suggestions of various directors for improving the Cotton Palace were referred to the president to be turned over to the proper committees. Some of the suggestions which called for considerable expenditure of money



FORREST E. GOODMAN

Elected vice president of the Cotton Palace by the board of directors last night. Mr. Goodman last year, his first on the board, was a commissioner in charge of agriculture and livestock.

Considerable discussion arose over the insurance affairs of the exposition. The advisability of installing a sprinkler fire extinguishing system to reduce the cost of insurance was discussed, but no action taken, as insurance for the year already has been placed.

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Results of First Day of Y. M. C. A. Campaign Sets New World Record

Workers at Banquet Closing First Day Hear Announcement That 176 New Members Had Been Signed—Division D. Composed of Boys Is First Day Leader With Fifty Members—Tabulated Standings.

"Never in all my experience, during forty campaigns in all sections of the United States and Canada, have so many members been secured on the first day of a 600-membership campaign," declared Campaign Manager E. J. Hockenbury at the banquet at the Y. M. C. A. last night. A total of 176 members were secured yesterday.

General Chairman W. V. Crawford, Division Chairman W. H. Hoffmann, Dr. C. P. Schenck, W. W. Woodson and W. S. Blair all are highly elated over the showing made on the first day of the campaign.

When Campaign Director Hockenbury made the announcement that Waco had "skipped" the rest of the universe, setting a pace for all other Young Men's Christian associations, to follow, the crowd went wild and the applause could be heard three blocks away.

Everybody present expressed the determination that another record would be broken today. The leaders have no doubt whatever that this will be done.

Division "D," with W. D. Blair as chairman, walked off with all the honors and glory of the first day's race. This is the boys' division. The fact that the boys put it all over the old chaps was the occasion of much surprise. The boys are highly elated over the results of their efforts. They claimed they would be on the job again today and do even better than they did yesterday. So confident are they of being able to accomplish this that they have issued a challenge to the other divisions to meet them at the Rubicon.

Otis Gibson, who is captain of the Chevrolet team, had the distinction of leading the winning team. His team is made up of an aggregation of hustlers. They clearly demonstrated this fact by securing a total of thirty-one new members.

Captain Harry M. Baine, who is in command of the Dodge car, had the honor of crossing the wire second in the race. His team landed eighteen new members.

Comparison With Other Campaigns. In order to show the exclusive class this Waco has displayed in this campaign, the results of the first day's work is shown in other cities in various parts of the country. The total number of members secured in these towns during the entire campaign is also given.

City.— 1st day Total
Dayton, Ohio..... 101 1327
Bridgeport, Conn..... 114 1327
Baltimore, Md..... 137 1625
Denver, Colo..... 194 1446
Washington, D. C..... 115 1349
Hartford, Conn..... 163 1350
Birmingham, Ala..... 132 1689
Scranton, Pa..... 124 1776

With 176 new members secured by

grounds; establishing a weather and road bulletin at the entrance to the main building, etc.

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Waco on the first day, it will be seen that this city has set a pace that will make all other Young Men's Christian associations all over the country sit up and take notice.

Crawford Taunts Taunton. General Chairman Crawford sent the following night letter to the leaders of the campaign that is being waged at Taunton, Mass.:

"Workers present, 162; producers, 88; new members 176. Good-bye, Taunton, we're going to leave you now."

Oscar Adwan, a student at Baylor University, had the distinction of obtaining more new members than any other individual member of any team. He secured fourteen.

Below will be found a complete summary of the work performed by the different divisions and teams.

Division A.
Dr. C. P. Schenck, chairman; E. W. Conway, secretary.

Team and captain—
Cadillac, T. Edgar Johnson..... 3
Chalmers, D. F. Beeman..... 11
Hudson, W. F. Quebe..... 8
Hupmobile, W. Edmond..... 16
Overland, G. B. Rogers..... 10

Total..... 48

Division B.
W. H. Hoffmann, chairman; N. H. Melbert, secretary.

Team and captain—
Buick, J. H. Quarles..... 3
Ford, A. D. Adams..... 11
King, F. J. Traut..... 6
Paige, J. J. Hutchison..... 6
Regal, E. A. Miller..... 7

Total..... 33

Division C.
W. W. Woodson, chairman; W. C. Knebel, secretary.

Team and captain—
Dodge, Harry M. Baine..... 18
Franklin, E. F. Drake..... 13
Maxwell, F. A. Winchell..... 9
Packard, Dr. S. C. Gage..... 3
Rex, J. H. Fisher..... 2

Total..... 45

Division D.
W. D. Blair, chairman; A. J. Flowers, secretary.

Team and captain—
Chevrolet, Otis Gibson..... 31
Haynes, Alex. Collins..... 5
Mitchell, Ben Lee Boynton..... 2
Pierce-Arrow, Clyde O'Neal..... 2
Studebaker, John Morris..... 2

Total..... 50

Grand total..... 176

January Transfers of Real Estate \$1,000,000

More than a million dollars worth of realty changed hands in January, according to figures furnished the Morning News by the McLennan County Abstract company. Two hundred and ninety-five deeds were recorded, the biggest days of the month being the fifth, with fourteen deeds and \$227,427, and the tenth with thirty-seven deeds and \$53,477.75. By days, the record was as follows:		
Deeds.	Consideration.	
Jan. 1..... 5	\$ 28,458.96	
Jan. 3..... 13	27,785.00	
Jan. 4..... 20	87,622.61	
Jan. 5..... 14	237,427.00	
Jan. 6..... 7	37,573.00	
Jan. 7..... 9	45,453.75	
Jan. 8..... 13	34,185.28	
Jan. 10..... 37	53,477.75	
Totals..... 295	\$1,000,079.79	

Baylor Professor Makes Address at B. Y. P. U. Meeting

Dr. A. J. Hall, professor of psychology of Baylor university, addressed the meeting of the city federation of B. Y. P. U. at their regular monthly meeting which was held at Seventh and James Street Baptist church last night, using as his subject the finer things in life gained from "The Poem of Life," by Longfellow, and "Crossing the Bar," by Tennyson. The address was well received by those hearing it and was listened to attentively by all.

Other features of the program was a piano solo by Miss Ellen Isbell, quartette composed of Messrs. Smith, Carter, Payne and Dutton. The next meeting place was voted to First church, which will be held the first Tuesday in March. The banner of honor for attendance was received by the Clay Street church, this membership being the highest graded for attendance and participation in the programs.

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